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RAISED THE MONEY

THE MISSOURI WESLEYAN ENDOWMENT IS COMPLETE.

METHODISTS JUBILANT

$213,352 Raised for Cameron School by United Efforts of Methodists of North Missouri.

The amount of the endowment fund for Missouri Wesleyan college at Cameron has been raised to $213,352, or $5,000 more than the needed amount, according to Dr. W. B. Christy, who returned Wednesday noon from a meeting of the trustees at Cameron Tuesday. To this amount is added $25,000, which Mr. W. A. Rankin offered four years ago on condition that enough more be raised to meet the needs of the school. The matter will not be allowed to rest here, however, for an effort is being made to raise an even $220,000, in order to cover any possible non-payment of pledges.

The results of the vigorous campaign which has been carried on to establish this fund were so gratifying that the students and faculty of the college held a jubilee last night and watched in what gives promise of being their best New Year.

Active work on raising this endowment did not begin until last year, and the last moments of the year were the busiest, for $12,000 was pledged over the phone yesterday. The last pledge came at seven minutes of 12 o'clock last night, when Mr. J. W. Jenkins, president of the Jenkins Music company of St. Joseph, telephoned to the trustees that he would give $1,000.

The trustees are Dr. W. B. Christy of Maryville, E. P. Leed and J. O. Taylor of Brookfield, W. F. Burris, C. J. English and Mr. Tepper of Cameron, C. E. Petree of Kirksville, H. E. Brabb and G. H. Lentz of St. Joseph, S. H. Prather and J. T. Pierce of Tarkio, F. E. Barber and John Hays of Skidmore, Joseph McAllister of Milan Robert Clelland of Ridgeway, C. B. Thompson of Braymer, and E. O. Coley of Chillicothe.

BIG TAX COLLECTIONS.

City Collector Breaks the Record for December Payments to City Funds.

The amount of city taxes collected by Mr. J. G. Grems during the month of December is $10,884.84. Mr. Grems says that this is the largest amount ever collected in any one month, and is an increase of $561.84 over the previous high water mark of $10,323, which also happens to be the receipts of December last year.

The total amount of taxes reaches $16,000, but there is still a portion of that uncollected.

Mrs. Eva Davis of Bolckow and Mrs. Leonard Miller of Graham, who have been making a Christmas visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Alkire, went to Barnard Saturday morning for a short visit with Mrs. Lowell Campbell before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Meyer of Hopkins have returned from a visit with their son, Martin Meyer and family of Sidney, Ia.

MRS. LANDON'S CONDITION IS VERY LOW

At 3:30 o'clock this afternoon the condition of Mrs. P. O. Landon was still unchanged, and the doctors could give no hope for the better. Since the operation Sunday morning her condition has been critical, and last night it was thought she could not live until morning.

GREAT TIME AT HOPKINS.

P. E. O. Chapter Hostesses of a Large Number at the Opera House, Where Much Merriment Was Had.

The P. E. O.'s were hostesses of a large number of Hopkins' society folks at the opera house in that town Tuesday night. Preceding the festivities in the opera house a large crowd attended the picture show. The grand march was led by Miss Lulu Hughes, masked as a colored lady, and J. F. Robb in the garb of a priest.

There were many beautiful costumes and some that were ridiculously so. Among the more striking ones, Mrs. E. C. Wolfers was attired as a motor girl, Miss Pauline Robb as a Spanish Princess, Miss Frances Lindsay as Winter, Mrs. Harry Chambers and Mrs. George Austin were especially striking as spinsters. Miss Lottie Louden, an Indian girl, with her partner, a lady friend with big top boots, long coat and cowboy hat made a good looking couple and had the crowd guessing.

The music was furnished by Mrs. E A. McMaster and Misses Lulu Hughes, Edna Robb and Ethel Ulmer, who were attired in all the glory of a colored quartet.

The cake walk prize was won by Misses Hughes and Ulmer, with Harry C. Clutter and Harry Stewart of close seconds.

At the close of the entertainment in the opera house it was announced that Charles Jackson would give a special show at the picture show, and the crowd were invited to be his guests. They were entertained at the picture show from 11 to 12 o'clock, when "1913" was thrown on the curtain. Not being satisfied yet, a number again repaired to the opera house to engage in dancing until a later hour.

GRANTED HELLER LICENSE.

County Court, in Last Session, Grants License for Six Months.

The county court held its last session yesterday. The terms of Judge Thompson, south district, and Judge Blackford, north district, expire today. The new judges are E. T. Bailey, north district, and Floyd Westfall, south district. The term of Presiding Judge John Thornhill holds for two years.

The court made its annual inspection trip yesterday to the county poor farm.

The white way received a boost when the court agreed to install the posts around the court house square. They will install posts corresponding to the posts put in by the property owners around the square.

The petition for the good roads bond issue for Monroe township was turned over to the new county court, which meets Monday. The petition calls for a special election to vote on the proposition of bonds in the sum of $15,000 for good roads.

William Heller was granted a saloon license for six months.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Gile went to Stanberry Wednesday for a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Miller.

A NEW JURY LAW

PROPOSED LEGISLATION TO CREATE JURY COMMISSION.

TO RELIEVE SHERIFFS

Claimed Law Would Do Away With "Plugged" Juries and Juries Would Be Absolutely Fair.

Proposed legislation, to be introduced before the forty-seventh general assembly, calls for the creation of a state jury commissioner, to provide eligible men as jurors in the counties.

The duties and powers of the official will be limited to the judicial circuits outside of places like St. Louis and Kansas City, where jury commissioners are provided.

The intention of the bill is to relieve sheriffs of this task. The commissioner would draw from a large wheel containing the names of all eligible citizens of a circuit. Thus men would not be selected to favor one or the other litigants, as is charged has been done repeatedly in scattering counties.

Under the old system it is declared some sheriffs have gone out into the county, over which they have complete jurisdiction, and summoned men that ought not to have been selected.

In one or two former instances, it is asserted, "plugged" juries, who knew before the trial what their verdict would be, have been pressed into service.

For each judicial circuit, outside of the large cities, names drawn from the jury wheel would be sent to the county clerk, who would issue subpoenas and have them served in the regular manner as those summoned for service.

If necessary the law could be changed so as to have those who live in the same circuit eligible for duty in any court within its confines.

In this manner it would be an easy matter to obtain juries to try a case which has obtained publicity in one county, but not in the other, thereby arousing public prejudice.

Enough jurors would be drawn from the wheel to allow those who have legitimate reasons to be excused from service as is done in St. Louis.

Wolf Drive New Year's.

The citizens of Guilford and Washington township are spending New Year's day hunting wolves that have been seen in that vicinity lately. The hunt begun at the boundary lines of the township Wednesday morning and the drive was made to Guilford from every direction. It is expected that every wolf in the township will be rounded up by Wednesday evening.

Brought a Guest Home.

Miss Myrtle McPherren returned Tuesday from a holiday visit with relatives at Mt. Ayr, Ia. She was accompanied home by Mr. John Allender, who will visit here a few days.

Kansas Guest Leaves.

Mr. L. W. Muir of Lenora, Kan., who has been a holiday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Nixon, left for his home Tuesday evening.

Marriage Licenses.

James Ralph Masters.....Maryville
Violet S. Scott.....Maryville

AN ACID VICTIM

MRS. DR. TRUSTY OF BURLINGTON JUNCTION A SUICIDE.

FOUND BEFORE DEATH

Despondent and Suffering From Nervous Prostration, She Took That Method of Ending Life.

Mrs. Laura Trusty, the wife of Dr. G. C. Trusty of Burlington Junction, drank carbolic acid at her home Tuesday afternoon about 5:30 o'clock and died at 7:30, having been found by her husband a short time before death came.

Mrs. Trusty had been in ill health for a year, due to nervous prostration, and her mind had suffered from the illness. Some two months ago Dr. Trusty took his wife to Rochester Minn., and consulted Drs. Mayo in regard to her trouble. They said medicine was not what she needed, and that the only thing necessary was to keep her mind as much as possible from herself. She had always been a happy woman until she was taken ill, and the change in her condition was deplored by all who knew her, as she and her husband and three children were recognized as one of the happiest families in Burlington Junction. They have a beautiful home, and during the months of Mrs. Trusty's illness every effort was made to increase her happiness and to supply her every wish.

For two or three weeks past Mrs. Trusty had seemed much improved. She came to Maryville on Christmas day with her husband and children and visited with her mother, Mrs. John L. Wallace, and the families of her brothers and sister, and all were happy over her improvement, and she was much pleased that they thought her better. But she seemed to doubt, at times, that they thought her better, and would ask her husband or other members of the family, "Do you really think I am better?" When assured they thought she was gaining in health she would be very happy for a time, but would soon lapse into melancholia again.

Mrs. Trusty had continued to gain since her visit in Maryville Christmas and on Tuesday was in excellent spirits. She walked a part of the way to the office with her husband after dinner, and let the youngest child, Georgia Ellen go to the office with him to stay all afternoon. She returned home and told the older children, Vern and Etta, to go to their father's office from school and come home to supper with him. She then told the young woman who kept house for them, Miss King, to go and spend the afternoon with a sick friend and that she herself would go to see Grandma Bryant; also that she did not need to hurry home, as she expected to stay until dark and that Dr. Trusty and the children would not be home before 6 o'clock. It appears that she had deliberately planned to take her life, for she seemed to think that she was losing her mind and could not rid herself of that belief.

Mrs. Trusty accompanied Miss King a part of the way to the place she was to visit and then returned home, when it appears that she put on an old coat of Dr. Trusty's, after tying the pictures of her husband and children over her heart, went to an abandoned chicken house in the orchard, back of the house, went in, shut the door, and taking the rake, cleared a place to lie down.

She had put cotton in her mouth, placed the bottle of acid to her lips and drank its contents without burning her mouth. After she drank the poison she placed the empty bottle in one of the coat pockets.

Dr. Trusty and the children returned home about 6 o'clock, and finding no one in the house, he went to the back of the house and called. Receiving no answer he began to search about the place, and coming to the old chicken house and finding the door shut he was greatly alarmed as the door was always left open. Pushing the door open he found his wife lying on the the ground near the door in an unconscious condition.

His cries of grief attracted Harve Shadduck, a neighbor, who was out attending to his chickens. Mr. Shadduck came to his help at once, and together they carried Mrs. Trusty to the house.

Dr. M. A. Gaugh was called, but nothing could be done for her, and she died in a short time. Her husband is prostrated with grief.

The time for the funeral services has not been set.

Mrs. Trusty was 37 years old. She

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News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Newlyweds to Bolckow.

Rev. O. G. Matthews and Mrs. Matthews went to Bolckow New Year's morning to visit Mr. L. W. Craig and family. Rev. Matthews will return to his studies at William Jewell college Friday and Mrs. Matthews will resume her duties in the Maryville schools.

The New Year's Dance.

The New Year's dance and luncheon at the Elks club Tuesday evening was the crowning event of the year. Thirty-seven couples danced the old year out. The committee in charge of the arrangements was composed of Miss Maude Bainum, Miss Rena Sturm, Mr. Will F. Phares and Mr. Cleve Funk.

Entertained Hum Drums.

Miss Mildred Robinson entertained the Hum Drum club Tuesday afternoon with a sewing party. Tea and wafers were served by the hostess during the afternoon and a chafing dish luncheon at 6 o'clock. The club then attended the picture show and later went to the home of Miss Frances Keeler and spent a delightful time until the new year 1913 came in.

Trip Around the World.

The Epworth League and its friends of the M. E. church of Barnard watched the old year out with a trip around the world. They left America, at the home of Mr. and Mrs Henry Stalling, in groups of ten and went to Japan, the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Humbred. Thence they went to China, the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Hooper; Ireland, the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Badger; England, the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Roach, and then Germany, the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fields, the last place before the "homeward bound." A lunch was served at each place.

Entertained Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fox entertained at their home, five miles southeast of Burlington Junction, the club members and their families. The evening was spent in games and social conversation, after which a two-course luncheon was served. The club members present were Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Al Shackelford and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cummins, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Ferguson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dragoo, Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Carter and sons, Misses Mamie and Agnes Cummins, Fern Blakesly, Messrs. Emmett, Leander and Willie Cummins. Those present beside the club members were Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Nicholas and son, Misses Rosa and Edna Shipley, Nora Mallard, John Shipley and Frank McKenzie.

Reception to Bride.

The reception given in the First Baptist church parlors Monday evening to honor the Rev. and Mrs. O. G. Matthews, who were married Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kurtz, was very enjoyable. The Amoma class, of which Mrs. Matthews is a member, had decorated the parlors in white ribbons twined in smilax. The punch bowl was stationed on a table under a large white wedding bell suspended from the center of the ceiling, that was draped with ropes of smilax. After the guests had been welcomed by the reception committee, Mrs. Anderson Craig, Miss Ada Albert, Miss Katherine Helwig, Miss Orrell Helwig, Mr. Anderson Craig and Prof. B. F. Duncan, and had greeted the bride and groom, punch was served by Miss Mabel Hunt, Miss Myra Hull and Miss Helen Burris. The evening was spent in a very informal and enjoyable manner and at the close, on behalf of the Sunday school, the superintendent, Mr. Craig, presented the bride with some elegant table linen. A happy speech in

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380 WERE KILLED

RAILROADS ALSO SUCCEEDED IN INJURING 6,220.

5680 HURT IN WRECKS

Only Twenty-Four Railroads Made Annual Report to State Board as Required by Law.

According to figures just completed by the board of railroad commissioners, intended for the annual report of that department, 380 persons were killed during the fiscal year which ended June 30 last in Missouri in various kinds of steam railroad accidents, and 6,220 injured, making a total of 6,600 killed and injured in the course of twelve months.

Railroads are supposed to make an annual report of their accidents to the railroad board. Twenty-four roads are represented in the compilation. The small number of passengers who were killed in the year, three, speaks well for the efficiency of the service the railroads are giving the state. Two mail clerks met death and 144 railroad employes. Then there were 261 others killed, many of them being persons who were trespassing on railroad property.

Wrecks and every other kind of accidents are included in those reported by the railroads, but their returns do not go into details as to how the mishaps occurred. The reports show that 4,936 employes were injured and 744 passengers. Mail clerks to the number of 123 met with hurts and there were only 418 other persons.

The large system of the state, with their thousands of employes and handling many passenger trains daily report more mishaps than the smaller one, but if the figures could be averaged, the per cent of killed and injured as compared with the vast amount of business done would be small. Several roads failed to report.

COURT OUSTS JUDGE AMICK.

St. Joseph Jurist Must Give Up Office to Democrat.

Jefferson City, December 31.—Judge Woodson filed an opinion in the supreme court en banc today, concurred in by the other judges, under which Circuit Judge W. K. Amick of St. Joseph is ousted from office and Charles H. Mayer held to be the legal possessor of the office. Judge Amick was appointed by Governor Hadley, vice Judge Eastman resigned. Judge Eastman had four years to serve. It was the contention of Judge Amick that he was entitled to hold for the entire term for which Judge Eastman was elected. Mayer is a Democrat.

The court holds that Judge Amick's term expired following the last general election and that appointments in such cases cannot lapse beyond a general election.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bailey have returned to their home in St. Joseph from a visit with Mrs. John McClain and family living southeast of Maryville. They were accompanied home by their niece, Miss Ethel McClain, who will spend a few days of vacation with them.

Mrs. R. A. Cook and daughter of Shenandoah, Ia., were guests of Mrs. J. A. Spicer Saturday. The visitors were on their way home from a visit at Barnard with Mr. and Mrs. George Daniels.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Thursday.

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January 1st, 1913

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APPY NEW YEAR

Happy New Year.
Same old whistles,
Same old bells,
Same old parties,
Same old yells.

Same old dinners,
Same old calls,
Same old music,
Same old balls.

Same old flowers,
Same old frills,
Same old hopes and
Same old bills.

Same old greetings,
Same old dread,
Same temptation—
Same old head.

Same old pledges,
Same old brags,
Same old promise—
Same old jags.

Same old noses,
Same bright lights,
Same old crowds and
Same old fights.

Same old brightness,
Same old cheer,
Same old happy,
Glad New Year!

—Puck.

A Wartime New Year's Day Experience

ON New Year's morning, 1864, when the thermometer was below zero, probably the most undisciplined body of troops in the whole Union army marched into camp at Martinsburg, W. Va. The men looked careless, fatigued, sleepy and cold. Some of them were bareheaded, which showed that they had traveled day and night and had fallen asleep on their horses. Many had lost their hats and caps by their heads coming in contact with the limbs of the trees in the woods. Some had the front and back parts burned out of their overcoats and trousers, which had probably happened while they were dozing before the fire. A few of them wore some Confederate clothing, indicating apparently that they had captured some Confederate quartermaster's stores and had replaced their own damaged garments with their enemy's clothing. Others had their feet tied up with pieces of blankets and sheepskins.

Many of the men were dismounted; others were mounted on wagon horses and mules, with the harness still on the animals. This showed that their wagon train had been destroyed and that some of the men, who had lost their cavalry horses, had mounted these animals.

The infantry and the citizens of Martinsburg gathered around and stared at these troops in wonder. This was General Averill's command, four regiments of cavalry and a battery that had just returned from the Salem raid. The raiding party left New Creek (now Keyser City, W. Va.), Dec. 8, 1863; marched to Salem, Va., thence back to Martinsburg, W. Va., arriving there Jan. 1, 1864, traveling twenty-four days. During this time the party traveled several hundred miles, tore up the Virginia and Tennessee railroad tracks to prevent General Lee from re-enforcing General Longstreet, who was fighting General Burnside at Knoxville, Tenn. At Salem the Confederate quartermaster and commissary stores were destroyed.

On our retreat a dozen or more Confederate brigades were after us and tried to head us off at every crossroad. At Covington, Va., after the bridge over Jackson river was burned, our regiment, the Fourteenth Pennsylvania cavalry, which was the rear guard, and a few dismounted men of other regiments that were with the wagon train were surrounded on the south side of the river. One of the Confederate generals sent in a flag of truce, demanding a surrender, but we fought our way through. After we burned our wagon train we swam the Jackson river.

On our retreat we traveled through a severe snowstorm and slid down icy mountains. Our artillery was saved by pulling it over the mountains with ropes.

Our brigade lost on this raid killed, drowned, frozen and captured, 146 men and five officers.

A few men were so badly frozen that they died shortly afterward.

Thus on that New Year's morning we were cold, hungry, tired, sleepy, dirty and shabby. Uncle Sam soon heard of our condition and came to us with outstretched arms, for on Jan. 10 he presented every one of us with a brand new outfit, which included overcoat, dress coat, blouse, hat, cap, shirt, drawers, stockings, boots and blankets. We soon commenced to get conceited, for we believed that we were the only brigade in the whole Union army that had ever received such a magnificent gift from the United States government.—James F. Hays in Baltimore American.

The New Year.

Ring out, wild bells, to the wild sky,
The flying cloud, the frosty light.
The year is dying in the night.
Ring out, wild bells, and let him die.

Ring out the old; ring in the new.
Ring, happy bells, across the snow.
The year is going. Let him go.
Ring out the false; ring in the true.

Ring out the grief that saps the mind
For those that here we see no more.
Ring out the feud of rich and poor;
Ring in redress to all mankind.

Ring out the want, the care, the sin.
The faithless coldness of the times;
Ring out, ring out, my mournful rimes,
But ring the fuller minstrel in.

Ring out false pride in place and blood,
The civic slander and the spite;
Ring in the love of truth and right;
Ring in the common love of good.

Ring out old shapes of foul disease;
Ring out the narrowing lust of gold;
Ring out the thousand wars of old;
Ring in the thousand years of peace.

Ring in the valiant man and free.
The larger heart, the kindlier hand;
Ring out the darkness of the land;
Ring in the Christ that is to be.

—Alfred Tennyson.

Modern Philanthropist.

"Why are you sobbing, my little man?"

"My pa's a millionaire philanthropist."

"Well, well, that's nothing to cry about."

"It ain't, ain't it? He's just promised to give me $5 to spend at Christmas provided I raise a similar amount."

$200,000 For New Year's Candy.

New Year's day in France generally is observed with the giving of presents, a custom Americans observe very slightly. Boxes of candy take the lead. In Paris alone it is estimated $200,000 was expended on candies for New Year's presents in 1912.

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

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response was made for the bride by her husband. The Amoma class will give Mrs. Matthews a miscellaneous shower soon.

The Bridgets' Frolic.

The Bridgets club had a four-course banquet at Binter's cafe Tuesday evening from 7 to 8 o'clock, ending a twenty-four hours' frolic, with resolutions for still better times for the new year of 1913. The good time began with Monday evening, when they went to the 8:30 Burlington train to meet Miss Helen Dunn of Bolckow, the only out-of-town member of the club, and Miss Helen Ardery of St. Joseph, who is the club's guest. The Empire theater was the next place for amusement, then a luncheon at Reuillard's, when all went to the home of Miss Ruth Matter, where a winter Chautauqua was held in the attic, which had been fitted up into a veritable Chautauqua camp. The next morning all went to the home of Miss Grace Sturm and partook of an elegant 10 o'clock breakfast, and a delicious 1 o'clock luncheon at the home of Miss Ruth Montgomery. The afternoon was spent in tramping over the State Normal campus and country roads around town, and after the banquet at Binter's it was a tired bunch of pretty Bridgets that went to bed.

MADE 316 ARRESTS.

Four-Year Record of Sheriff Tilson—Had Only Legal Hanging in Years.

Sheriff Wm. Tilson handed over the reins of the sheriff's office to his successor, Ed Wallace of Clearmont today. Mr. Tilson will take up his duties as county treasurer April 1.

"Billy" Tilson's regime in the sheriff's office has been a busy one. During his term not a prisoner broke jail. The nearest to a jail break was last summer, when the sheriff discovered two sticks of dynamite in one of the cells.

The lowest number of prisoners in jail at one time was three, and the highest number 16.

The following is Mr. Tilson's record for his term of four years and the most noted criminals handled by him:

Number of prisoners received of George L. Evans, sheriff, January 1st, 1909, 4, all serving jail sentences.

Number arrested by Sheriff Tilson for the four years, 316.

Number sent to the penitentiary, 18.

Number sent to reform school, 11.

Number sent to Industrial Home for Girls, 5.

Number hanged, 1.

Most noted—Hez Rasco, death penalty; Ross Carson, 25 years; Bill Sales, 5 years; James Gaulding, 5 years; John Dix, 2 years; Elmer Dix, Red Bragg, 3 years; Ned Holmes, 2 years; Herbert Gray, 5 years.

Some of the others are as follows: Wood Gaulding, Eber Stevenson, C. W. Wilson, Buzzard Hawk, Peggy Conklin, Al Marts, Red Impie.

The Hez Rasco hanging was the first since the term of the late Henry Toel. The Talbott boys were hung in 1881 for the murder of their father. This was the most famous hanging in this part of the country. Ress Carson of Quitman was sentenced for 25 years, this being his fourth term. John Dix violated his parole and was sentenced for 2 years.

Sheriff Tilson broke the record for making long trips after criminals. He has made trips to Balsam Lake, Wis.; Twin Falls, Idaho; Cheyenne, Wyo.; Pueblo, Col.; Halton, Kan.; Muncie, Ind.; Monterey, Cal., and Topeka, Kan.

THAT BAD COLD.

Vapor Treatment Surely Does Clean Out That Stuffed Up Head.

Don't try to break up a cold with dangerous stomach disturbing drugs. Get directly to the inflamed membrane by breathing HYOMEI (pronounce it High-o-me). Get a bottle for 50 cents at the Orear-Henry Drug Co. and try this rapid and economic treatment that thousands are using.

Into a bowl of boiling water pour a teaspoonful of HYOMEI, cover head and bowl with a towel, and breathe deep into the lungs the healing vapor that arises.

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A Happy New Year!

Hello, everybody!
I'm the New Year—
I'm here!

I'm here!
And happy.
How about you?
How did I find you?
Do I remind you
Of the same kind you
Meet once a year?
Calls and potations,
Falls and quotations;
Swift evolutions
Of good resolutions;
Dim recollections,
With rising inflections,
Of former deflections
Due to Good Cheer—
Same old New Year?

Today, while you drink with me,
Take a small think with me—
You'll swim or sink with me,
Now I am here;
I'll be a friend with you;
I'll save or spend with you—
Borrow or lend with you,
For a whole year.

It's up to you—
What we will do;
It's an old game to me,
But a New Deal for you.
Two rules, if you care
To make it worth while:
Play it out on the square—
Play it out with a smile!

I'm the New Year—
I'm here!
What for? That depends.
Come ahead—we'll make the best of it,
At the worst, we'll make a jest of it,
Do our best, and trust the rest of it—
Let's be Friends!

—O. B. K. in Kansas City Star.

Don't forget the free lecture at the auto school Thursday night.

Mrs. C. A. Hyatt of Stanberry was in Maryville Tuesday, returning home from a visit in Council Bluffs.

Mrs. John Workman went to King City Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. A. C. Parsons.

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CHAS. HYSLOP

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Mrs. Nettie Warren and Mrs. W. E. Frazier of Ft. Lupton, Colo., went to Barnard Wednesday morning for a visit with their brother, Charles Moore, and family.

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The second free lecture to be delivered by W. H. Whitney of the Mason & Wilderman Auto School, will be given Thursday night at 8 o'clock in the Auto School, corner Sixth and Main Streets. Everybody invited.

SPECIALS FOR Thursday, Friday and Saturday

15-inch Japan Coal Hods	18c
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15c Ginghams, yard	12½c
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January 1, 1913

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25 Head of Horses and Mules—All kinds, sizes and qualities, among which is an extra good team of driving mares. Cattle, Hogs and Sheep. What do you want to sell? List it now. All phones.

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On Thursday we will have on special le—

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ersbey's Almond or Milk Chocolate Confection, 5c pieces, 3 for 10c; 8 for 25c

0c cans Price's or Royal Baking Powder, 1 lb each, for 37c

5c quality Roasted Rio Coffeer, "Our Hustler" brand, 2 lbs for 45c; 5 lbs for $1.00

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Black Pepper, ground or whole, strictly pure, lb 16c

Mixed Nuts (Almonds, English Walnuts, Brazils and Pecans), lb 15c

Libby's finest Tomato Catsup, worth 20c per bottle, for 10c

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2 large glasses Pure Fruit Jelly 15c

Gallon cans California White Cherries, worth 80c, for 50c

Gallon cans Peeled Yellow Free Peaches, worth 50c, for 30c

½-gallon can best Country Sorghum for 30c

Chase & Sanborn (Seal brand) Coffee, 2-lb can, 80c value, for 69c

Chase & Sanborn famous Orange Pekoe Ceylon Tea, per can 15c

Extra fancy October Full Cream Cheese, 2 lbs for 45c

Finest Brick Cheese, per lb 25c

Choice Red Onions, 12 lbs for 25c

5 Florida Grape Fruit for 25c

Selected Jonathan Apples, for table use, peck 60c

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California small sound Lemons, doz 18c

Arizona Navel Oranges, doz 35c

California Washington Navel Oranges, doz 25c

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Mammoth Celery, only 10c

Finest Cranberries, quart 10c

100-lb sack fine Granulated Sugar for $4.90

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JAN'S PRESENTIMENT

It Was of Disaster, but Everything Eventually Came Out All Right.

By MARGARET MANNING.

From the first moment of his opening the door Jan Olesen felt a presentiment of disaster. There was something in the atmosphere of the boarding hours, with its stuffy hall, its gilt mirrors, its glaring plush ornamentation, that sickened him, so that when the little maid came forward and asked whom he wished to see he could hardly utter Mina's name.

Jan Olesen, fresh from the west, where he had established himself as a prosperous farmer within three years after his arrival from Sweden, a penniless youth, looked in surprise at the little servant's troubled face.

"You are from my country?" he asked in his native tongue, and at the sound of the words the little fair-haired maid-of-all-work broke down and cried.

"I—I haven't heard the old speech for so long," she said, and then began smiling through her tears as the sun smiles out of a blue sky. And the twinkling eyes that she turned upon him were very blue, and her smile as sunny as a Swedish girl's smile can be.

Jan Olesen looked at her in grave compassion.

"Do they treat you well here, child?" he asked.

She shrugged her shoulders. "Some of the boarders do," she answered. "Theatrical folks are mostly kind. But Miss Dalrymple—she's a terror. She's leading lady in the 'Red Slipper' chorus, you know—and, say," she added, breaking into the easily acquired slang of America, "what do you think? She's Swedish, too, for all her American airs and English name."

Olesen clutched at the wall to save himself from falling. Before his eyes a mist was swimming. His mind went back to the day when he, renting a cheap hall bedroom almost in the next city block, had met Mina Jensen. She was just such a little maid as this, newly arrived from the old country. He remembered her shy smile, her engaging frankness. And they had become engaged, and he had gone west to make his fortune. Now after three years he had returned—to what?

Through the mist broke a scent of patchouli. Out of it he saw a woman approach, with fashionably done hair

"I'm to Be Sent Away," She Said.

and gaudy dress; and through the floating clouds he saw a slim hand, much bejeweled, stretched forth to his.

"Why, if it isn't Jan!" exclaimed Mina. "I guess you didn't know me, Jan. Well, what are you staring at?" she continued to the girl. "Get busy with your work, whatever it is! Ain't she the impudent thing! Just a greenhorn, you know! Come right in, Jan, and tell me about your self and if you've brought back a wad to blow in in New York. And say, Jan, can that stuff you wrote me about getting married and show me a good time in this burg instead. Nix on a Minnesota farm for mine!"

He escaped afterward—it might have been hours or minutes, but the last thing of which he was aware was Mina standing at the door of her apartment and gazing after him with a puzzled, quizzical air.

"Poor Jan! You haven't learned much in Minnesota, Jan!" she had said at parting. And her designs on his pocket-book had been transparent enough to bring a blush of shame to his tanned face, so that he could only raise his hat mechanically in response to her farewell.

She had refused to discuss their marriage; instead, he was to take her to dinner on the next evening. His love had changed to horror. For three years her memory, her letters—changed though they were—had been the spur which goaded him to success. Now the fabric of ambitions which he had built up was shattered.

But in the loneliness of his room that night his thoughts gradually began to flow in their accustomed groove again. He must have been mistaken. Surely Mina Jensen, the little country girl whom he had met in the steerage, animated by the same hopes as himself, cradled in the same land, could not have changed so. Perhaps it was he who had changed. Perhaps he was too slow, had remained a "greenhorn," for all his success, while she had progressed beyond him.

He resolved to tell her everything on the following night: all his aims and aspirations; to beg her to come back with him to Minnesota. There, on their lonely farm, they would settle, as the old folks had done in Sweden, they would be happy. . . .

He fell asleep at last, happy in his dreams.

But on the next night the old feeling came over him again at the sight of the hall, the scent of perfume, the faded tawdriness of it. He hesitated upon the threshold; he could not enter.

And the little maid's eyes were red from tears.

"You have been crying, my dear," said Olesen, using the Swedish word of endearment. "What is the matter? You won't tell me? Yes, you'll tell a fellow-countryman. Come, tell me!"

"I'm to be sent away," she said, her voice quavering.

"Away? Well, but there are better places.

"O, yes. I'm not afraid. But she said—"

"She? Who?"

"Miss Dalrymple. She said—I can't tell you—well, that I didn't behave—that I talked to the men here—that I talked to you yesterday. And she pays twenty a week, so Mrs. Simmons is afraid to affront her. And she said that if I didn't go she would. She hates me because I'm from the same country, and—and she doesn't want people to know that she was once a working girl like me."

Olesen heard a door open softly above. Down the stairs, horrible in their glaring carpeting, floated the faint odor of patchouli. For an instant he pondered; then, taking the girl by the arm, he led her to the door.

"My dear," he said, "in the state I come from there are broad acres of land—land like we have at home, with forests and lakes. And there are no Miss Dalrymples there, and women are treated differently. Would you like to come with me to see the place I'm speaking of?" He spoke in Swedish now. "There, don't let those tears come. No, never mind your hat; there's a department store round the corner where you can get all you need. But hurry, for it closes at five, and we've got to get to the city hall first and take out our marriage license."

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LET WOMEN WOO THE MEN

Old Custom, Declares English Writer, Is the Cause of Much Marital Unhappiness.

Surely the most foolish of all the many foolish conventions that ruin human joy is the decree that women must wait passively to be wooed, declares a writer in the London Chronicle. Now, why should they? Why can't they be natural and honest and show their feelings? Why must they be compelled to act an indifference quite foreign to them? Perhaps some of you hold with Shaw and Shakespeare that they don't wait to be wooed. Some of them certainly don't. Generally speaking, however, few women even nowadays have the pluck to go dead against a convention of this sort, which has such a tremendously strong hold on the masculine sense of fitness.

If woman's charm is to depend on this idiotic convention that men have created around her—namely, that she is a perfectly cold, passive, negative creature who waits in a state of suspended animation, as it were, until the man condescends to make her come alive—the sooner the modern feminists invent some more reasonable tradition of charm the better for us all.

Now, let us suppose a couple that has overcome all the initial obstacles. They have managed the difficult task of finding each other, have got their declaration over, and are safely engaged. What happens next? Every possible thing that can be done to create an illusion around them is done. They are encouraged to meet often, but the conditions under which they meet are as different as can be from the conditions of their future married life. Does that man every see that girl in any kind of negligee, or does she see him unshaved, say? Does he have any experience of how she will run a house or manage affairs? Does she have any chance of finding out that he's faddy about food, or mean about money?

These are material things, it is true, and therefore not of the first importance; but, on the other hand, what chance do they have either to discover each other's spiritual state? Don't they, as a rule, act and sham all through, and dress up for each other, and spend their time under the most artificial conditions, pleasure seeking? Are they ever encouraged to have earnest conversations with each other to discuss the more serious aspects of their future life together? No, the entire business is conducted in the most absurdly irresponsible, once-married-we'll-shake-down-all-right spirit, which would be comical but for the fact that the results are often so deeply tragical.

Porous Metals.

Using an alloy of lead and antimony, containing 90 per cent lead, and one of tin and lead, containing 80 per cent of tin, Hannover has obtained both porous lead and tin. The porous lead thus obtained may be used for many purposes, and would be especially valuable in making accumulator plates of very great capacity.

AN ACID VICTIM

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was born on a farm four miles east of Maryville, and beside her husband and children is survived by her mother, Mrs. John L. Wallace of this city; two sisters, Mrs. Bert Hilsabeck and Mrs. Walter Dickey of near Maryville, and eight brothers, John A., George, Frank and Fred Wallace of Maryville, O. O. Wallace of Nebraska, Dr. Jesse Wallace of Skidmore, Dr. Bert Wallace of Shawnee, Okla., and Vern Wallace of Holton, Kan.

Mrs. Trusty had been a devout member of the M. E. church since young girlhood, and with her husband counted among the most valued members of the M. E. church of Burlington Junction. She was loved by all who knew her, and her death has cast a gloom over the entire community.

Dr. Trusty located in Burlington Junction years ago and has met with eminent success in the practice of dentistry. He is a brother of Mrs. Gabe L. Allen and Grant Trusty of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Allen went to Burlington Junction Wednesday morning.

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On Visit in Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Carpenter left Wednesday morning for Sabetha, Kan., to visit Mr. Carpenter's brother, James Carpenter, and family.

Visiting in Parnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fite and Mrs. Joseph Reece motored to Parnell Wednesday and were the New Year's guests of Mrs. Perry Keever.

Mrs. O. E. Jones and children, living northeast of Maryville, went to Arkoe Monday evening to visit Harry Culbertson and family, and will later visit Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones of White Cloud.

Miss Lizzie Strauch and Mr. George Strauch of Lincoln, Neb., who have been visiting the family of Phillip Strauch, living near Maryville, left for their home Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. VanHorn and children returned to their home in St. Joseph Wednesday morning from a visit with Mr. VanHorn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. VanHorn.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Milligan and children of Billings, Mont., left for their home Tuesday evening, after a visit with the family of Mrs. E. J. Kissinger of Maryville.

Miss Elsie McNulty of Tarkio, who has been visiting Miss Hazel Russell, a state Normal student, went to Bedison Tuesday to visit her uncle, J. P. Erickson.

Mrs. J. O. Hiatt, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Woodworth, for some time, went to Kansas City Tuesday evening, where Mr. Hiatt will locate.

Mrs. J. R. McKillip and Mr. Boyd McKillip of St. Joseph spent Monday in Maryville with Miss Louise Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. John Franklin of Pickering have been visiting Alonzo Cansler and family of Wilcox.

Mrs. G. G. Council of Barnard spent Monday in Maryville with Mrs. F. E. Whitchurch and family.

Mrs. R. L. Barnes and son went to Savannah Tuesday evening to visit her father, J. F. Newman.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson Craven are spending a few days with James Craven of Pickering.

Mrs. Vern Dixon and daughter went to Pickering Saturday to visit Mrs. Charles Shopbell.

Mrs. W. E. Scott of Pickering was stopping in Maryville Saturday.

Mrs. W. J. Staples was a business visitor in St. Joseph Tuesday.

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Now, it's my business to furnish travelers with whatever information they may wish about Florida, and if you will drop me a line I will very gladly help you all I can and be glad to do it.

Burlington Route

W. E. GOFORTH
Ticket Agent.

Quail Season Closed.

The open season for quail ended December 31. It will be unlawful to kill quails in Missouri until November 1st. The squirrel season closed December 21st and opens again July 1st.

I. W. Coler of College Springs, Ia., arrived Saturday on a visit to George J. Coler, near Skidmore. George and Clarence Coler of South Dakota are also visiting him.

Miss Permelia Eads spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in King City and St. Joseph.

Returned to Kansas.

Mrs. J. R. Springer and children returned to their home in Linwood, Kan., New Year's morning from a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. E. J. Dempsey.

START SYSTEMATIC SAVING NOW—New year. New series Maryville Homestead and Loan Association stock. 31-2

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Paulette went to St. Joseph Tuesday evening to visit over New Year's with Mr. Paulette's mother, Mrs. W. H. Paulette.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Pence and daughter of Lenox, Ia., returned home Saturday from a Christmas visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hanna of Blanchard, Ia.

An Egyptian New Year's Greeting.

The following from Maspero's Guide to the Cairo Museum of Antiquities is of timely interest, showing how the scarab was identified with New Year's celebration in ancient Egypt:

"The Egyptians worshiped the scarab from the most remote antiquity, for it seems that in the beginning it was considered as being one of the shapes of the soul itself. So the image of it was multiplied in order to assure to living and dead alike a continuance of being, and, like all religious emblems held in general esteem, it was used as a motif of ornamentation in jewelry. Scarabs were set as rings, seals or pendants, those who wore them thus having not only an amulet, but an ornament, and were made of every size and material.

"A whole class of scarabs bore good wishes for the New Year: 'May Amon, or Isis, or Bastit, or Ra give thee a happy beginning of the year.' Others wished him to be provided with the aura of life, or with life itself."

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Bristol, Pa., Man Says So in This Letter.

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SUSPICIOUS OF THE AUTHOR

George Pattullo Tells of His Experiences Among Cowboys on the Mexican Border.

George Pattullo, the author of "The Sheriff of Badger," is a cowboy part of the year and works among the men of a Texas ranch. He tells a story of a time when he did not wear his literary laurels too conspicuously.

"A rather amusing thing happened at Naco, which is a town straddling the Mexican border," he said. "I had been working on the Turkey Track range as the guest of the owner while they were branding 5,000 head of cows and steers that had been sold. Some of us went to Naco at the end of the work for a little fun, and Lee Hardie, the boss, introduced me to the proprietor of the Fashion. An inebriated gentleman standing near seemed to ponder the name, as though trying to recall something. At last he came over to me.

"'Are you,' he said, 'the guy that writes stories?' I admitted it, upon which his manner became very grave.

"'Well,' he continued, 'you done put my brother in one of them pieces and I want to see you about it.'

"I hastily assured him that his brother was wholly unknown to me. He looked doubtful and appeared to nurse a grievance, but allowed the matter to drop.

"Fred Hall, one of the cowboys who had worked with me on the squeezer, which holds each animal that is to be branded—it takes two lusty men to handle a squeezer when the steers are wild—led Lee Hardin aside, and I could hear them in hot debate.

"'Aw, Lee,' said Fred in much disgust, 'what's the use of trying to tell me that? I tell you Pat ain't got enough sense to write stories.'"

THEY MILK ALL DAY LONG

Employes on Eastern Dairy Farm Are Specialists, Each Handling 20 Cows Daily.

On the average dairy farm the man who can milk fifteen or twenty cows twice a day is ranked as an excellent milker. Yet on a milk company's farm in New Jersey, ten operators are milking 350 animals twice daily, an average of 35 cows per milker. Ever since modern dairy husbandry began to approach an intensive development the problem of the milk farm has been how most efficiently to utilize the labor of the milking force between milkings. In the winter time especially this was a hard nut to crack.

The manager of this eastern dairy farm got his mind to working overtime and devised the plan of developing his milkers into specialists who milked for ten hours a day and performed no other labor. He corresponded with the managers and owners of other large milk farms in order to obtain their opinions concerning his new method, and found they did not believe it would work. In nowise discouraged, this progressive manager put the proposition before his milkers and asked them if they would be willing to test out the plan. They enthusiastically assented. His plan as successfully carried out is explained in the Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Strange Curiosities of Pain.

Pain sometimes behaves in a curious fashion. There was a soldier after the Boer war, who complained of excruciating neuralgic pains in his right foot. This very much amused his friends, for he had lost his right leg. The explanation was that the pain happened to be in the trunks of those nerves, which had sent branches to the foot. The other day a patient went to a doctor complaining of pain in the knee, and he was greatly surprised when the doctor told him that the site of the affection is not the knee but the hip. We are all familiar with the pain under the shoulder blade which comes from an afflicted liver. The stomach, too, can produce pain in many parts of the body. A disordered stomach will give us pain as far away as the head, and, when one gets a cramp in his toe, it is often due to acidity of the stomach. Swallow a pinch of bicarbonate of soda and the cramp will disappear. An aching tooth will produce neuralgic pains in the face, and very often a violent pain at the back of the head is due to the faraway kidneys, which themselves may suffer no pain at the time.

Damage by Big Guns.

Six years firing of the big guns of the army posts has resulted in the submission of many curious claims for damages on the part of the farmers, cottagers and fishermen, aggregating no less than $32,616, and these claims, distributed among 220 persons, are now being settled by the disbursing office.

Naturally the largest items are for smashed window glass in cottages and farmhouses, but included in the list is one item of 46 cents for damages caused by the passage of artillery through a Filipino rice field. The largest claim is for $5,000 for damages inflicted by the blast of the guns of Fort Baldwin, Me., upon a summer home.—Lewiston Journal.

Willing to Oblige.

"I have had 20 offers of marriage in my short career," cooed the fair applicant.

The theatrical manager looked at her reflectively.

"I don't dispute you," he said. "And I don't object to the phrase short career. But it will be a good deal better for my purpose if you make it 20 divorces and lengthen the career."

"Very well," said the fair one.

WOMAN IN POLICE SERVICE

Country Is Slowly Realizing How Valuable She Is in That Kind of Work.

One of the surprises of evolution has been the discovery that women have an appointed work waiting for them in the police service. The smashing derision that used to find a special point of application in the idea of "the woman policeman" is yielding, gingerly but rarely, to the realization that the country needs women as police rather more than the women need to be police officials. The realization seems to be a part of the general realization of the human interest mixed up in the criminal's case, the realization that you don't finish with that case by merely apprehending the criminal and affixing the thumb screws, and the further realization that the case may be one of many sides and one of two sexes. A desire to reach the case having followed upon the realization, it was perhaps inevitable that women should be available instruments of salvation. In Los Angeles, the "woman policeman" has been installed in response to a distinct need in the handling of woman and girl criminals. In Maryland, she has been applied to for official help to enforce the curfew law in an effective manner. In Chicago as matrons women have long been assisting in the problem of handling the criminal. Very recently these matrons have been placed in the rank of patrolmen, and their salaries have been increased from $1,000 to $1,400 a year.

SET UP BOTTLES AS GODS

Burmese Natives, Relieved by "Pain Killer," Accepted What They Thought Was Deity.

There are many people in this country who are given to a worship of patent medicines; but it remained for the East to furnish an instance of actual idolatry of empty medicine bottles.

An American missionary came upon a village in Burma where an epidemic was raging. Having with him a quantity of New England "pain killer" and thinking he might at least allay the suffering somewhat, he went from house to house administering the remedy, and left a number of bottles to be used after he had gone. When he returned to the village some months later he was met by the head man of the community, who cheered and delighted him by this intelligence; "Teacher, we have come over to your side; the medicine did us so much good that we have accepted your god." Overjoyed at this news, the missionary was conducted to the house of the head man, who opened the door of a room and showed him the pain killer bottles solemnly arranged in a row upon the shelf; and before them the whole company immediately prostrated themselves in worship.

Dog Worth Owning.

J. L. Sappington of Centralia will be protected from the cold this winter by a coonskin overcoat made from hides of coons which he caught with his famous coon dog Buck.

The coat, which Sappington was wearing, was made from the skins of 30 of the 132 of the ringtailed species which he and his canine have captured in the last three years. Sappington sent the skins to a furrier with instructions to use only the best part of the hides. The consequence is his coat is the best and finest that can be made and differs from the coonskin garments of this kind usually seen.

Three years ago Sappington bagged 52 coons. Two years ago he captured 48, last year but 16 and so far this year he has captured 16.—Fulton correspondence St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Crack Filler.

Cracks in a floor, caused by the spreading apart of the boards, are objectionable because they catch dust and dirt. A simple and effective crack filler is made from newspapers. Tear the paper into small bits, soak in hot water, and mix with warm flour paste. Fill the cracks with this mixture, which should be thick, spreading the paste with a knife. Another good filler consists of a mixture of glue and sawdust. Heat the glue until melted and for one pound of glue, before melting, allow one gallon of water. When melted, stir into it fine sawdust until a thick paste results. Fill the cracks with this, packing it down solidly and smoothing it over with a knife blade. When the filler is thoroughly dried the floor may be stained.

Women Journalists.

Mrs. Chang, widow of a Chinese official, is the editor in chief of the Peking woman's paper, which is devoted entirely to subjects interesting to her sex. Besides Mrs. Chang's paper there are eight others in Peking edited, printed and sold by women. In Canton there are four, in Shanghai six, and in Foochow three.

Mms. de Aeus Janculescan is to edit the first woman's paper published in Rumania. This journal is to be called Rights of Women, and is to be the official organ of the suffrage clubs in Rumania.

Doom of the Army Mule.

The army mule is doomed, according to Capt. E. A. Williams, quartermaster, United States army, who had charge of the auto trucks recently tested by the army. He said that the animal, which has been as important to the army as ammunition in the past, eventually is to be supplanted by the auto truck.

PATHETIC PLEA FOR CHILDREN

Words of Charles Kingsley Worth Heeding by Every Man and Woman of Any Worth.

Do not deceive yourselves about the little dirty, offensive children in the street. If they be offensive to you, they are not to him that made them. "Take heed that ye despise not one of these little ones; for I say unto you that in heaven their angels do always behold the face of my father which is in heaven." Is there not in every one of them, as in you, the light that lighteth every man that cometh into the world? And know you not who that light is, and what he said of little children? Then take heed, I say, lest you despise one of these little ones. Listen not to the Pharisee when he says: Except the little child be converted, and become as I am, he shall in nowise enter into the kingdom of heaven. But listen to the voice of him who knew what is in man, when he said: "Except ye be converted, ye shall not enter into the kingdom of heaven." Their souls are like their bodies, not perfect, but beautiful enough and fresh enough to shame anyone who shall dare to look down upon them. Their souls are like their bodies, hidden by the rags, foul with the dirt of what we miscall civilization. But take them to the pure stream, strip off the ugly, shapeless rags, wash the young limbs again, and you shall find them, body and soul, fresh and lithe, graceful and capable—capable of how much God alone who made them knows.—From Charles Kingsley's Address on Human Soot.

GAVE HIM SOME NEW IDEAS

Pessimistic Man of Forty Wonderfully Cheered by a Few Remarks Made by His Wife.

"Darnation, I'm forty today," he groaned. "Look at my wrinkles. Look at my bald spot. Look at the gray hair above my ears. Youth is gone—the grave approaches—and I'm so wretched that I think I'll go and drink 50 beers."

But his good wife responded:

"Cheer up. Intelligent men, thinkers and brain-workers like yourself, have always been distinguished for a hale and happy longevity. Solon, Sophocles, Pindar and Anacreon were octogenarians. Goethe, over eighty, did some of his best work. So did Kant, Buffon, Newton, Fontenelle and Harvey, the discoverer of the circulation of the blood.

"Landor wrote his most beautiful Imaginary Conversations at eighty-five. Izaak Walton at ninety had a fluent, forceful pen. Hahnemann at eighty married, and at ninety-one made some of his most fruitful discoveries. Michael Angelo's canvases when he was eighty-nine were as vigorous as they had been at sixty years before. Titian was doing good work at ninety. Newton at eighty-three—"

But here the man, wonderfully perked up, interrupted her.

"I guess I won't get drunk after all," he said. "Get my hat, my dear, and we'll go to the movies and wind up with an oyster supper."

Oldest Order.

What is the oldest order in existence? The claim is made for that of the Holy Sepulchre, the grand officership of which has just been conferred by the pope on a member of the Irish Nationalist party, Sir Thomas Grattan Esmond. It appears that no date or the name of a founder can be assigned to the Order of the Holy Sepulchre, though there is a legendary tradition that traces its origin to the time of Charlemagne. In the middle of the last century, however, when the Latin Patriarchate of Jerusalem was reestablished, the office of grand master of the order was transferred to it by Pope Pius the Ninth, who many years later, in 1838, created by statute three ranks of the order—the grand cross, commander and knight. The costume is a white cloak with the Cross of Jerusalem in red enamel. The pope himself is grand master of the order.—Westminster Gazette.

Precaution Rarely Taken.

A German medical journal draws attention to a possible factor in the spread of infectious conditions of the mouth, nose, and pharynx that is not sufficiently recognized in many households. It points out that common table utensils, such as forks, spoons and glasses, which come into contact with the mouth, are usually washed altogether, often with little care, and dried on the same cloth. This gives great opportunity for the distribution of infective agencies. For this reason particular care should be exercised in families where any member may be suffering from an infectious disease to sterilize the table utensils used in boiling water. People who complain of "catching cold" in many instances are merely catching infection from little-understood and preventable sources.

Sheridan's "Debt of Honor."

A "debt of honor" story that may be worth recalling concerns that prince of debtors, Richard Brinsley Sheridan. One day a creditor came into Sheridan's room and found him seated before a table strewn with gold and notes?

"It's no use looking at that, my good fellow," said Sheridan, "that is all bespoken for debts of honor." "Very well," replied the tradesman, tearing his security and throwing it in the fire, "now mine is a debt of honor." "So it is, and must be paid at once," said Sheridan, and handed him the money.

WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines 25 words for 25 days for 25 cents. For ads longer than this 1 cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 25. Cash must accompany order for these small amounts.

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FOR SALE—Three fine Duroc Jersey boars weighing about 125 pounds. W. S. Woods, R. D. No. 2; Farmers phone 21-17. 31-2

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RAISED THE MONEY

THE MISSOURI WESLEYAN ENDOWMENT IS COMPLETE.

METHODISTS JUBILANT

$213,352 Raised for Cameron School by United Efforts of Methodists of North Missouri.

The amount of the endowment fund for Missouri Wesleyan college at Cameron has been raised to $213,352, or $5,000 more than the needed amount, according to Dr. W. B. Christy, who returned Wednesday noon from a meeting of the trustees at Cameron Tuesday. To this amount is added $25,000, which Mr. W. A. Rankin offered four years ago on condition that enough more be raised to meet the needs of the school. The matter will not be allowed to rest here, however, for an effort is being made to raise an even $220,000, in order to cover any possible non-payment of pledges.

The results of the vigorous campaign which has been carried on to establish this fund were so gratifying that the students and faculty of the college held a jubilee last night and watched in what gives promise of being their best New Year.

Active work on raising this endowment did not begin until last year, and the last moments of the year were the busiest, for $12,000 was pledged over the phone yesterday. The last pledge came at seven minutes of 12 o'clock last night, when Mr. J. W. Jenkins, president of the Jenkins Music company of St. Joseph, telephoned to the trustees that he would give $1,000.

The trustees are Dr. W. B. Christy of Maryville, E. P. Leed and J. O. Taylor of Brookfield, W. F. Burris, C. J. English and Mr. Tepper of Cameron, C. E. Petree of Kirksville, H. E. Brabb and G. H. Lentz of St. Joseph, S. H. Prather and J. T. Pierce of Tarkio, F. E. Barber and John Hays of Skidmore, Joseph McAllister of Milan Robert Clelland of Ridgeway, C. B. Thompson of Braymer, and E. O. Coley of Chillicothe.

BIG TAX COLLECTIONS.

City Collector Breaks the Record for December Payments to City Funds.

The amount of city taxes collected by Mr. J. G. Grems during the month of December is $10,884.84. Mr. Grems says that this is the largest amount ever collected in any one month, and is an increase of $561.84 over the previous high water mark of $10,323, which also happens to be the receipts of December last year.

The total amount of taxes reaches $16,000, but there is still a portion of that uncollected.

Mrs. Eva Davis of Bolckow and Mrs. Leonard Miller of Graham, who have been making a Christmas visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Alkire, went to Barnard Saturday morning for a short visit with Mrs. Lowell Campbell before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Meyer of Hopkins have returned from a visit with their son, Martin Meyer and family of Sidney, Ia.

MRS. LANDON'S CONDITION IS VERY LOW

At 3:30 o'clock this afternoon the condition of Mrs. P. O. Landon was still unchanged, and the doctors could give no hope for the better. Since the operation Sunday morning her condition has been critical, and last night it was thought she could not live until morning.

GREAT TIME AT HOPKINS.

P. E. O. Chapter Hostesses of a Large Number at the Opera House, Where Much Merriment Was Had.

The P. E. O.'s were hostesses of a large number of Hopkins' society folks at the opera house in that town Tuesday night. Preceding the festivities in the opera house a large crowd attended the picture show. The grand march was led by Miss Lulu Hughes, masked as a colored lady, and J. F. Robb in the garb of a priest.

There were many beautiful costumes and some that were ridiculously so. Among the more striking ones, Mrs. E. C. Wolfers was attired as a motor girl, Miss Pauline Robb as a Spanish Princess, Miss Frances Lindsay as Winter, Mrs. Harry Chambers and Mrs. George Austin were especially striking as spinsters. Miss Lottie Louden, an Indian girl, with her partner, a lady friend with big top boots, long coat and cowboy hat made a good looking couple and had the crowd guessing.

The music was furnished by Mrs. E. A. McMaster and Misses Lulu Hughes, Edna Robb and Ethel Ulmer, who were attired in all the glory of a colored quartet.

The cake walk prize was won by Misses Hughes and Ulmer, with Harry C. Clutter and Harry Stewart of close seconds.

At the close of the entertainment in the opera house it was announced that Charles Jackson would give a special show at the picture show, and the crowd were invited to be his guests. They were entertained at the picture show from 11 to 12 o'clock, when "1913" was thrown on the curtain. Not being satisfied yet, a number again repaired to the opera house to engage in dancing until a later hour.

GRANTED HELLER LICENSE.

County Court, in Last Session, Grants License for Six Months.

The county court held its last session yesterday. The terms of Judge Thompson, south district, and Judge Blackford, north district, expire today. The new judges are E. T. Bailey, north district, and Floyd Westfall, south district. The term of Presiding Judge John Thornhill holds for two years.

The court made its annual inspection trip yesterday to the county poor farm.

The white way received a boost when the court agreed to install the posts around the court house square. They will install posts corresponding to the posts put in by the property owners around the square.

The petition for the good roads bond issue for Monroe township was turned over to the new county court, which meets Monday. The petition calls for a special election to vote on the proposition of bonds in the sum of $15,000 for good roads.

William Heller was granted a saloon license for six months.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Gile went to Stanberry Wednesday for a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Miller.

A NEW JURY LAW

PROPOSED LEGISLATION TO CREATE JURY COMMISSION.

TO RELIEVE SHERIFFS

Claimed Law Would Do Away With "Plugged" Juries and Juries Would Be Absolutely Fair.

Proposed legislation, to be introduced before the forty-seventh general assembly, calls for the creation of a state jury commissioner, to provide eligible men as jurors in the counties.

The duties and powers of the official will be limited to the judicial circuits outside of places like St. Louis and Kansas City, where jury commissioners are provided.

The intention of the bill is to relieve sheriffs of this task. The commissioner would draw from a large wheel containing the names of all eligible citizens of a circuit. Thus men would not be selected to favor one or the other litigants, as is charged has been done repeatedly in scattering counties.

Under the old system it is declared some sheriffs have gone out into the county, over which they have complete jurisdiction, and summoned men that ought not to have been selected.

In one or two former instances, it is asserted, "plugged" juries, who knew before the trial what their verdict would be, have been pressed into service.

For each judicial circuit, outside of the large cities, names drawn from the jury wheel would be sent to the county clerk, who would issue subpoenas and have them served in the regular manner as those summoned for service.

If necessary the law could be changed so as to have those who live in the same circuit eligible for duty in any court within its confines.

In this manner it would be an easy matter to obtain juries to try a case which has obtained publicity in one county, but not in the other, thereby arousing public prejudice.

Enough jurors would be drawn from the wheel to allow those who have legitimate reasons to be excused from service as is done in St. Louis.

Wolf Drive New Year's.

The citizens of Guilford and Washington township are spending New Year's day hunting wolves that have been seen in that vicinity lately. The hunt begun at the boundary lines of the township Wednesday morning and the drive was made to Guilford from every direction. It is expected that every wolf in the township will be rounded up by Wednesday evening.

Brought a Guest Home.

Miss Myrtle McPherren returned Tuesday from a holiday visit with relatives at Mt. Ayr, Ia. She was accompanied home by Mr. John Allender, who will visit here a few days.

Kansas Guest Leaves.

Mr. L. W. Muir of Lenora, Kan., who has been a holiday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Nixon, left for his home Tuesday evening.

Marriage Licenses.

James Ralph Masters.....Maryville
Violet S. Scott.....Maryville

AN ACID VICTIM

MRS. DR. TRUSTY OF BURLINGTON JUNCTION A SUICIDE.

FOUND BEFORE DEATH

Despondent and Suffering From Nervous Prostration, She Took That Method of Ending Life.

Mrs. Laura Trusty, the wife of Dr. G. C. Trusty of Burlington Junction, drank carbolic acid at her home Tuesday afternoon about 5:30 o'clock and died at 7:30, having been found by her husband a short time before death came.

Mrs. Trusty had been in ill health for a year, due to nervous prostration, and her mind had suffered from the illness. Some two months ago Dr. Trusty took his wife to Rochester Minn., and consulted Drs. Mayo in regard to her trouble. They said medicine was not what she needed, and that the only thing necessary was to keep her mind as much as possible from herself. She had always been a happy woman until she was taken ill, and the change in her condition was deplored by all who knew her, as she and her husband and three children were recognized as one of the happiest families in Burlington Junction. They have a beautiful home, and during the months of Mrs. Trusty's illness every effort was made to increase her happiness and to supply her every wish.

For two or three weeks past Mrs. Trusty had seemed much improved. She came to Maryville on Christmas day with her husband and children and visited with her mother, Mrs. John L. Wallace, and the families of her brothers and sister, and all were happy over her improvement, and she was much pleased that they thought her better. But she seemed to doubt, at times, that they thought her better, and would ask her husband or other members of the family, "Do you really think I am better?" When assured they thought she was gaining in health she would be very happy for a time, but would soon lapse into melancholia again.

Mrs. Trusty had continued to gain since her visit in Maryville Christmas and on Tuesday was in excellent spirits. She walked a part of the way to the office with her husband after dinner, and let the youngest child, Georgia Ellen go to the office with him to stay all afternoon. She returned home and told the older children, Vern and Etta, to go to their father's office from school and come home to supper with him. She then told the young woman who kept house for them, Miss King, to go and spend the afternoon with a sick friend and that she herself would go to see Grandma Bryant; also that she did not need to hurry home, as she expected to stay until dark and that Dr. Trusty and the children would not be home before 6 o'clock. It appears that she had deliberately planned to take her life, for she seemed to think that she was losing her mind and could not rid herself of that belief.

Mrs. Trusty accompanied Miss King a part of the way to the place she was to visit and then returned home, when it appears that she put on an old coat of Dr. Trusty's, after tying the pictures of her husband and children over her heart, went to an abandoned chicken house in the orchard, back of the house, went in, shut the door, and taking the rake, cleared a place to lie down.

She had put cotton in her mouth, placed the bottle of acid to her lips and drank its contents without burning her mouth. After she drank the poison she placed the empty bottle in one of the coat pockets.

Dr. Trusty and the children returned home about 6 o'clock, and finding no one in the house, he went to the back of the house and called. Receiving no answer he began to search about the place, and coming to the old chicken house and finding the door shut he was greatly alarmed as the door was always left open. Pushing the door open he found his wife lying on the the ground near the door in an unconscious condition.

His cries of grief attracted Harve Shadduck, a neighbor, who was out attending to his chickens. Mr. Shadduck came to his help at once, and together they carried Mrs. Trusty to the house.

Dr. M. A. Gaugh was called, but nothing could be done for her, and she died in a short time. Her husband is prostrated with grief.

The time for the funeral services has not been set.

Mrs. Trusty was 37 years old. She

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News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Newlyweds to Bolckow.

Rev. O. G. Matthews and Mrs. Matthews went to Bolckow New Year's morning to visit Mr. L. W. Craig and family. Rev. Matthews will return to his studies at William Jewell college Friday and Mrs. Matthews will resume her duties in the Maryville schools.

The New Year's Dance.

The New Year's dance and luncheon at the Elks club Tuesday evening was the crowning event of the year. Thirty-seven couples danced the old year out. The committee in charge of the arrangements was composed of Miss Maude Bainum, Miss Rena Sturm, Mr. Will F. Phares and Mr. Cleve Funk.

Entertained Hum Drums.

Miss Mildred Robinson entertained the Hum Drum club Tuesday afternoon with a sewing party. Tea and wafers were served by the hostess during the afternoon and a chafing dish luncheon at 6 o'clock. The club then attended the picture show and later went to the home of Miss Frances Keeler and spent a delightful time until the new year 1913 came in.

Trip Around the World.

The Epworth League and its friends of the M. E. church of Barnard watched the old year out with a trip around the world. They left America, at the home of Mr. and Mrs Henry Stalling, in groups of ten and went to Japan, the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Humbred. Thence they went to China, the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Hooper; Ireland, the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Badger; England, the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Roach, and then Germany, the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fields, the last place before the "homeward bound." A lunch was served at each place.

Entertained Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fox entertained at their home, five miles southeast of Burlington Junction, the club members and their families. The evening was spent in games and social conversation, after which a two-course luncheon was served. The club members present were Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Al Shackelford and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cummins, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Ferguson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dragoo, Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Carter and sons, Misses Mamie and Agnes Cummins, Fern Blakesly, Messrs. Emmett, Leander and Willie Cummins. Those present beside the club members were Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Nicholas and son, Misses Rosa and Edna Shipley, Nora Mallard, John Shipley and Frank McKenzie.

Reception to Bride.

The reception given in the First Baptist church parlors Monday evening to honor the Rev. and Mrs. O. G. Matthews, who were married Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kurtz, was very enjoyable. The Amoma class, of which Mrs. Matthews is a member, had decorated the parlors in white ribbons twined in smilax. The punch bowl was stationed on a table under a large white wedding bell suspended from the center of the ceiling, that was draped with ropes of smilax. After the guests had been welcomed by the reception committee, Mrs. Anderson Craig, Miss Ada Albert, Miss Katherine Helwig, Miss Orrell Helwig, Mr. Anderson Craig and Prof. B. F. Duncan, and had greeted the bride and groom, punch was served by Miss Mabel Hunt, Miss Myra Hull and Miss Helen Burris. The evening was spent in a very informal and enjoyable manner and at the close, on behalf of the Sunday school, the superintendent, Mr. Craig, presented the bride with some elegant table linen. A happy speech in

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380 WERE KILLED

RAILROADS ALSO SUCCEEDED IN INJURING 6,220.

5680 HURT IN WRECKS

Only Twenty-Four Railroads Made Annual Report to State Board as Required by Law.

According to figures just completed by the board of railroad commissioners, intended for the annual report of that department, 380 persons were killed during the fiscal year which ended June 30 last in Missouri in various kinds of steam railroad accidents, and 6,220 injured, making a total of 6,600 killed and injured in the course of twelve months.

Railroads are supposed to make an annual report of their accidents to the railroad board. Twenty-four roads are represented in the compilation. The small number of passengers who were killed in the year, three, speaks well for the efficiency of the service the railroads are giving the state. Two mail clerks met death and 144 railroad employes. Then there were 261 others killed, many of them being persons who were trespassing on railroad property.

Wrecks and every other kind of accidents are included in those reported by the railroads, but their returns do not go into details as to how the mishaps occurred. The reports show that 4,936 employes were injured and 744 passengers. Mail clerks to the number of 123 met with hurts and there were only 418 other persons.

The large system of the state, with their thousands of employes and handling many passenger trains daily report more mishaps than the smaller one, but if the figures could be averaged, the per cent of killed and injured as compared with the vast amount of business done would be small. Several roads failed to report.

COURT OUSTS JUDGE AMICK.

St. Joseph Jurist Must Give Up Office to Democrat.

Jefferson City, December 31.—Judge Woodson filed an opinion in the supreme court en banc today, concurred in by the other judges, under which Circuit Judge W. K. Amick of St. Joseph is ousted from office and Charles H. Mayer held to be the legal possessor of the office. Judge Amick was appointed by Governor Hadley vice Judge Eastman resigned. Judge Eastman had four years to serve. It was the contention of Judge Amick that he was entitled to hold for the entire term for which Judge Eastman was elected. Mayer is a Democrat.

The court holds that Judge Amick's term expired following the last general election and that appointments in such cases cannot lapse beyond a general election.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bailey have returned to their home in St. Joseph from a visit with Mrs. John McClain and family living southeast of Maryville. They were accompanied home by their niece, Miss Ethel McClain, who will spend a few days of vacation with them.

Mrs. R. A. Cook and daughter of Shenandoah, Ia., were guests of Mrs. J. A. Spicer Saturday. The visitors were on their way home from a visit at Barnard with Mr. and Mrs. George Daniels.

THE WEATHER

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January 1st, 1913

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To Our Friends, the Public

Yesterday the sale of our local exchange to the Hanamo Telephone Company was completed and from now on we will confine ourselves entirely to the handling of the Long Distance Service. With this change we take the opportunity to thank you for your past patronage and hope that the service we have rendered will remain in your memory as a token of our good will toward you.

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IT'S A NEW YEAR

A Wartime New Year's Day Experience

ON New Year's morning, 1864, when the thermometer was below zero, probably the most undisciplined body of troops in the whole Union army marched into camp at Martinsburg, W. Va. The men looked careless, fatigued, sleepy and cold. Some of them were bareheaded, which showed that they had traveled day and night and had fallen asleep on their horses. Many had lost their hats and caps by their heads coming in contact with the limbs of the trees in the woods. Some had the front and back parts burned out of their overcoats and trousers, which had probably happened while they were dozing before the fire. A few of them wore some Confederate clothing, indicating apparently that they had captured some Confederate quartermaster's stores and had replaced their own damaged garments with their enemy's clothing. Others had their feet tied up with pieces of blankets and sheepskins.

Many of the men were dismounted; others were mounted on wagon horses and mules, with the harness still on the animals. This showed that their wagon train had been destroyed and that some of the men, who had lost their cavalry horses, had mounted these animals.

The infantry and the citizens of Martinsburg gathered around and stared at these troops in wonder. This was General Averill's command, four regiments of cavalry and a battery that had just returned from the Salem raid. The raiding party left New Creek (now Keyser City, W. Va.), Dec. 8, 1863; marched to Salem, Va., thence back to Martinsburg, W. Va., arriving there Jan. 1, 1864, traveling twenty-four days. During this time the party traveled several hundred miles, tore up the Virginia and Tennessee railroad tracks to prevent General Lee from re-enforcing General Longstreet, who was fighting General Burnside at Knoxville, Tenn. At Salem the Confederate quartermaster and commissary stores were destroyed.

On our retreat a dozen or more Confederate brigades were after us and tried to head us off at every crossroad. At Covington, Va., after the bridge over Jackson river was burned, our regiment, the Fourteenth Pennsylvania cavalry, which was the rear guard, and a few dismounted men of other regiments that were with the wagon train were surrounded on the south side of the river. One of the Confederate generals sent in a flag of truce, demanding a surrender, but we fought our way through. After we burned our wagon train we swam the Jackson river.

On our retreat we traveled through a severe snowstorm and slid down icy mountains. Our artillery was saved by pulling it over the mountains with ropes.

Our brigade lost on this raid killed, drowned, frozen and captured, 146 men and five officers.

A few men were so badly frozen that they died shortly afterward.

Thus on that New Year's morning we were cold, hungry, tired, sleepy, dirty and shabby. Uncle Sam soon heard of our condition and came to us with outstretched arms, for on Jan. 10 he presented every one of us with a brand new outfit, which included overcoat, dress coat, blouse, hat, cap, shirt, drawers, stockings, boots and blankets. We soon commenced to get conceited, for we believed that we were the only brigade in the whole Union army that had ever received such a magnificent gift from the United States government.—James F. Hays in Baltimore American.

The New Year.

Ring out, wild bells, to the wild sky,
The flying cloud, the frosty light.
The year is dying in the night.
Ring out, wild bells, and let him die.

Ring out the old; ring in the new.
Ring, happy bells, across the snow.
The year is going. Let him go.
Ring out the false; ring in the true.

Ring out the grief that saps the mind
For those that here we see no more.
Ring out the feud of rich and poor;
Ring in redress to all mankind.

Ring out the want, the care, the sin,
The faithless coldness of the times;
Ring out, ring out, my mournful rimes,
But ring the fuller minstrel in.

Ring out false pride in place and blood,
The civic slander and the spite;
Ring in the love of truth and right;
Ring in the common love of good.

Ring out old shapes of foul disease;
Ring out the narrowing lust of gold;
Ring out the thousand wars of old;
Ring in the thousand years of peace.

Ring in the valiant man and free,
The larger heart, the kindlier hand;
Ring out the darkness of the land;
Ring in the Christ that is to be.
—Alfred Tennyson.

Modern Philanthropist.

"Why are you sobbing, my little man?"

"My pa's a millionaire philanthropist."

"Well, well, that's nothing to cry about."

"It ain't, ain't it? He's just promised to give me $5 to spend at Christmas provided I raise a similar amount."

$200,000 For New Year's Candy.

New Year's day in France generally is observed with the giving of presents, a custom Americans observe very slightly. Boxes of candy take the lead. In Paris alone it is estimated $200,000 was expended on candies for New Year's presents in 1912.

Happy New Year.

Same old whistles,
Same old bells,
Same old parties,
Same old yells.

Same old dinners,
Same old calls,
Same old music,
Same old balls.

Same old flowers,
Same old frills,
Same old hopes and
Same old bills.

Same old greetings,
Same old dread,
Same temptation—
Same old head.

Same old pledges,
Same old brags,
Same old promise—
Same old jags.

Same old noses,
Same bright lights,
Same old crowds and
Same old fights.

Same old brightness,
Same old cheer,
Same old happy,
Glad New Year!
—Puck.

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

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response was made for the bride by her husband. The Amoma class will give Mrs. Matthews a miscellaneous shower soon.

The Bridgets' Frolic.

The Bridgets club had a four-course banquet at Binter's cafe Tuesday evening from 7 to 8 o'clock, ending a twenty-four hours' frolic, with resolutions for still better times for the new year of 1913. The good time began with Monday evening, when they went to the 8:30 Burlington train to meet Miss Helen Dunn of Bolckow, the only out-of-town member of the club, and Miss Helen Ardery of St. Joseph, who is the club's guest. The Empire theater was the next place for amusement, then a luncheon at Reuillard's, when all went to the home of Miss Ruth Matter, where a winter Chautauqua was held in the attic, which had been fitted up into a veritable Chautauqua camp. The next morning all went to the home of Miss Grace Sturm and partook of an elegant 10 o'clock breakfast, and a delicious 1 o'clock luncheon at the home of Miss Ruth Montgomery. The afternoon was spent in tramping over the State Normal campus and country roads around town, and after the banquet at Binter's it was a tired bunch of pretty Bridgets that went to bed.

MADE 316 ARRESTS.

Four-Year Record of Sheriff Tilson—Had Only Legal Hanging in Years.

Sheriff Wm. Tilson handed over the reins of the sheriff's office to his successor, Ed Wallace of Clearmont today. Mr. Tilson will take up his duties as county treasurer April 1.

"Billy" Tilson's regime in the sheriff's office has been a busy one. During his term not a prisoner broke jail. The nearest to a jail break was last summer, when the sheriff discovered two sticks of dynamite in one of the cells.

The lowest number of prisoners in jail at one time was three, and the highest number 16.

The following is Mr. Tilson's record for his term of four years and the most noted criminals handled by him:

Number of prisoners received of George L. Evans, sheriff, January 1st, 1909, 4, all serving jail sentences.

Number arrested by Sheriff Tilson for the four years, 316.

Number sent to the penitentiary, 18.

Number sent to reform school, 11.

Number sent to Industrial Home for Girls, 5.

Number hanged, 1.

Most noted—Hez Rasco, death penalty; Ross Carson, 25 years; Bill Sales, 5 years; James Goulding, 5 years; John Dix, 2 years; Elmer Dix, Red Bragg, 3 years; Ned Holmes, 2 years; Herbert Gray, 5 years.

Some of the others are as follows: Wood Goulding, Eber Stevenson, C. W. Wilson, Buzzard Hawk, Peggy Conklin, Al Marts, Red Impie.

The Hez Rasco hanging was the first since the term of the late Henry Toel. The Talbott boys were hung in 1881 for the murder of their father. This was the most famous hanging in this part of the country. Ress Carson of Quitman was sentenced for 25 years, this being his fourth term. John Dix violated his parole and was sentenced for 2 years.

Sheriff Tilson broke the record for making long trips after criminals. He has made trips to Balsam Lake, Wis.; Twin Falls, Idaho; Cheyenne, Wyo.; Pueblo, Col.; Halton, Kan.; Muncie, Ind.; Monterey, Cal., and Topeka, Kan.

THAT BAD COLD.

Vapor Treatment Surely Does Clean Out That Stuffed Up Head.

Don't try to break up a cold with dangerous stomach disturbing drugs. Get directly to the inflamed membrane by breathing HYOMEI (pronounce it High-o-me). Get a bottle for 50 cents at the Orear-Henry Drug Co. and try this rapid and economic treatment that thousands are using.

Into a bowl of boiling water pour a teaspoonful of HYOMEI, cover head and bowl with a towel, and breathe deep into the lungs the healing vapor that arises.

Breathe this vapor for five or ten minutes until the head feels fine and clear, then go to bed and sleep soundly until morning. No cocaine or opium or harmful drugs in HYOMEI. It is made of Australian Eucalyptus and other antiseptics. It is guaranteed to end catarrh, or money back.—Advertisement.

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Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.

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A Happy New Year!

Hello, everybody!
I'm the New Year—
I'm here!

I'm here!
And happy.
How about you?
How did I find you?
Do I remind you
Of the same kind you
Meet once a year?
Calls and potations,
Falls and quotations;
Swift evolutions
Of good resolutions;
Dim recollections,
With rising inflections,
Of former deflections
Due to Good Cheer—
Same old New Year?

Today, while you drink with me,
Take a small think with me—
You'll swim or sink with me,
Now I am here;
I'll be a friend with you;
I'll save or spend with you—
Borrow or lend with you,
For a whole year.

It's up to you—
What we will do;
It's an old game to me,
But a New Deal for you.
Two rules, if you care
To make it worth while:
Play it out on the square—
Play it out with a smile!

I'm the New Year—
I'm here!
What for? That depends.
Come ahead—we'll make the best of it,
At the worst, we'll make a jest of it,
Do our best, and trust the rest of it—
Let's be Friends!
—O. B. K. in Kansas City Star.

Don't forget the free lecture at the auto school Thursday night.

Mrs. C. A. Hyatt of Stanberry was in Maryville Tuesday, returning home from a visit in Council Bluffs.

Mrs. John Workman went to King City Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. A. C. Parsons.

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CHAS. HYSLOP

Visiting in Barnard.

Mrs. Nettie Warren and Mrs. W. E. Frazier of Ft. Lupton, Colo., went to Barnard Wednesday morning for a visit with their brother, Charles Moore, and family.

COLDS AFFECT THE KIDNEYS.

Many Maryville People Have Found This to Be True.

Are you wretched in bad weather?

Does every cold settle on your kidneys?

Does your back ache and become weak?

Are urinary passages irregular and distressing?

These symptoms are cause to suspect kidney weakness.

Weakened kidneys need quick help.

Doan's Kidney Pills are especially prepared for weakened kidneys.

Maryville people recommend them.

Mrs. A. Weidman, 403 East Thompson street, Maryville, Mo., says: "I have recommended Doan's Kidney Pills to hundreds of people and you may continue publishing my former endorsement. They are the best kidney medicine I ever used. I had pains through my kidneys and a dull ache across my back. This trouble was always worse when I caught cold. I used medicine but with little success until I got Doan's Kidney Pills rom Love & Gaugh's drug store. They made me well."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.—Advertisement.

The second free lecture to be delivered by W. H. Whitney of the Mason & Wilderman Auto School, will be given Thursday night at 8 o'clock in the Auto School, corner Sixth and Main Streets. Everybody invited.

SPECIALS FOR Thursday, Friday and Saturday

15-inch Japan Coal Hods....18c
16-inch Japan Coal Hods....21c
17-inch Japan Coal Hods....24c
Banner Outing Flannels, per yard.....8 1-3c
15c Ginghams, yard.....12½c
75c Men's Overalls.....50c
All Calicoes, yard.....5c
10c Ginghams, yard.....8 1-3c

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Property at 1222 East Third street, consisting of two lots, good five-room house, good cave, well, barn and woodshed, nice garden spot and fruit trees. The estate of Henry Myers.
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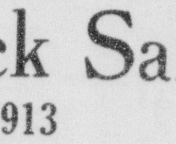

Every inch one pushes beyond the normal distance of 12 inches after eye-failure begins at 38, means an inch of danger. Ninety-nine persons out of a hundred may do it with safety. You may be the one that can't. The man having the best eyes when old age comes will be the one that heeds this first call for help.
DR. FINN, Optician.

January 1, 1913

Our appreciation prompts us to express to you our gratitude for the business you have given to us the past year, making it very agreeable to us. Trusting we may continue to have your good will, which is an invaluable asset in business, we sincerely hope Thirteen may be a happy year for you all, with a full measure of prosperity. We remain very gratefully yours,

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Hosmer's Monthly Stock Sale
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25 Head of Horses and Mules—All kinds, sizes and qualities, among which is an extra good team of driving mares. Cattle, Hogs and Sheep. What do you want to sell? List it now. All phones.

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New Year's Greeting

A Prosperous and Happy 1913 for Everybody

Business in 1912 was satisfactory to , and we have good reason to believe at every patron of this store was eased with the quantity, quality and rvice we returned for every dollar xpended with us.

But we are progressive. We want keep right on growing and pleas- g more customers. The greater the olume the less the percentage the cost of operation. We an and will sell you the same gh grade foods for even less oney than heretofore. We are firmly stablished on the only safe and eco- omical plan of merchandising.

TRICTLY A CASH PROPOSITION FROM STEM TO STERN.

On Thursday we will have on special ale—

oliday brand Mixed Candy, any quantity, per lb 5c

ersbey's Almond or Milk Chocolate Confection, 5c pieces, 3 for 10c; 8 for 25c

0c cans Price's or Royal Baking Powder, 1 lb each, for 37c

5c quality Roasted Rio Coffeer, "Our Hustler" brand, 2 lbs for 45c; 5 lbs for $1.00

Ten thousand pounds new Navy Beans, bushel, $2.90; 19 lbs for $1.00; 4½ lbs for 25c

Black Pepper, ground or whole, strictly pure, lb 16c

Mixed Nuts (Almonds, English Walnuts, Brazils and Pecans), lb 15c

Libby's finest Tomato Catsup, worth 20c per bottle, for 10c

2 large jars English or German Prepared Mustard for 15c

2 large glasses Pure Fruit Jelly 15c

Gallon cans California White Cherries, worth 80c, for 50c

Gallon cans Peeled Yellow Free Peaches, worth 50c, for 30c

½-gallon can best Country Sorghum for 30c

Chase & Sanborn (Seal brand) Coffee, 2-lb can, 80c value, for 69c

Chase & Sanborn famous Orange Pekoe Ceylon Tea, per can 15c

Extra fancy October Full Cream Cheese, 2 lbs for 45c

Finest Brick Cheese, per lb 25c

Choice Red Onions, 12 lbs for 25c

5 Florida Grape Fruit for 25c

Selected Jonathan Apples, for table use, peck 60c

Good Cooking Apples, per bu 65c

California small sound Lemons, doz 18c

Arizona Navel Oranges, doz 35c

California Washington Navel Oranges, doz 25c

Fresh Lettuce, per bunch 5c

Mammoth Celery, only 10c

Finest Cranberries, quart 10c

100-lb sack fine Granulated Sugar for $4.90

Bedford Creamery Butter, 38c lb; 2 lbs for 75c

Marigold finest Butterine, 25c; 2 lbs for 45c

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JAN'S PRESENTIMENT

It Was of Disaster, but Everything Eventually Came Out All Right.

By MARGARET MANNING.

From the first moment of his opening the door Jan Olesen felt a presentiment of disaster. There was something in the atmosphere of the boarding hours, with its stuffy hall, its gilt mirrors, its glaring plush ornamentation, that sickened him, so that when the little maid came forward and asked whom he wished to see he could hardly utter Mina's name.

Jan Olesen, fresh from the west, where he had established himself as a prosperous farmer within three years after his arrival from Sweden, a penniless youth, looked in surprise at the little servant's troubled face.

"You are from my country?" he asked in his native tongue, and at the sound of the words the little fair-haired maid-of-all-work broke down and cried.

"I—I haven't heard the old speech for so long," she said, and then began smiling through her tears as the sun smiles out of a blue sky. And the twinkling eyes that she turned upon him were very blue, and her smile as sunny as a Swedish girl's smile can be.

Jan Olesen looked at her in grave compassion.

"Do they treat you well here, child?" he asked.

She shrugged her shoulders. "Some of the boarders do," she answered. "Theatrical folks are mostly kind. But Miss Dalrymple—she's a terror. She's leading lady in the 'Red Slipper' chorus, you know—and, say," she added, breaking into the easily acquired slang of America, "what do you think? She's Swedish, too, for all her American airs and English name."

Olesen clutched at the wall to save himself from falling. Before his eyes a mist was swimming. His mind went back to the day when he, renting a cheap hall bedroom almost in the next city block, had met Mina Jensen. She was just such a little maid as this, newly arrived from the old country. He remembered her shy smile, her engaging frankness. And they had become engaged, and he had gone west to make his fortune. Now after three years he had returned—to what?

Through the mist broke a scent of patchouli. Out of it he saw a woman approach, with fashionably done hair

"I'm to Be Sent Away," She Said.

and gaudy dress; and through the floating clouds he saw a slim hand, much bejeweled, stretched forth to his.

"Why, if it isn't Jan!" exclaimed Mina. "I guess you didn't know me, Jan. Well, what are you staring at?" she continued to the girl. "Get busy with your work, whatever it is! Ain't she the impudent thing! Just a greenhorn, you know! Come right in, Jan, and tell me about your self and if you've brought back a wad to blow in in New York. And say, Jan, can that stuff you wrote me about getting married and show me a good time in this burg instead. Nix on a Minnesota farm for mine!"

He escaped afterward—it might have been hours or minutes, but the last thing of which he was aware was Mina standing at the door of her apartment and gazing after him with a puzzled, quizzical air.

"Poor Jan! You haven't learned much in Minnesota, Jan!" she had said at parting. And her designs on his pocket-book had been transparent enough to bring a blush of shame to his tanned face, so that he could only raise his hat mechanically in response to her farewell.

She had refused to discuss their marriage; instead, he was to take her to dinner on the next evening. His love had changed to horror. For three years her memory, her letters—changed though they were—had been the spur which goaded him to success. Now the fabric of ambitions which he had built up was shattered.

But in the loneliness of his room that night his thoughts gradually began to flow in their accustomed groove again. He must have been mistaken. Surely Mina Jensen, the little country girl whom he had met in the steerage, animated by the same hopes as himself, cradled in the same land, could not have changed so. Perhaps it was he who had changed. Perhaps he was too slow, had remained a "greenhorn," for all his success, while she had progressed beyond him.

He resolved to tell her everything on the following night: all his aims and aspirations; to beg her to come back with him to Minnesota. There, on their lonely farm, they would settle, as the old folks had done in Sweden, they would be happy. . . .

He fell asleep at last, happy in his dreams.

But on the next night the old feeling came over him again at the sight of the hall, the scent of perfume, the faded tawdriness of it. He hesitated upon the threshold; he could not enter.

And the little maid's eyes were red from tears.

"You have been crying, my dear," said Olesen, using the Swedish word of endearment. "What is the matter? You won't tell me? Yes, you'll tell a fellow-countryman. Come, tell me!"

"I'm to be sent away," she said, her voice quavering.

"Away? Well, but there are better places.

"O, yes. I'm not afraid. But she said—"

"She? Who?"

"Miss Dalrymple. She said—I can't tell you—well, that I didn't behave—that I talked to the men here—that I talked to you yesterday. And she pays twenty a week, so Mrs. Simmons is afraid to affront her. And she said that if I didn't go she would. She hates me because I'm from the same country, and—and she doesn't want people to know that she was once a working girl like me."

Olesen heard a door open softly above. Down the stairs, horrible in their glaring carpeting, floated the faint odor of patchouli. For an instant he pondered; then, taking the girl by the arm, he led her to the door.

"My dear," he said, "in the state I come from there are broad acres of land—land like we have at home, with forests and lakes. And there are no Miss Dalrymples there, and women are treated differently. Would you like to come with me to see the place I'm speaking of?" He spoke in Swedish now. "There, don't let those tears come. No, never mind your hat; there's a department store round the corner where you can get all you need. But hurry, for it closes at five, and we've got to get to the city hall first and take out our marriage license."

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LET WOMEN WOO THE MEN

Old Custom, Declares English Writer, Is the Cause of Much Marital Unhappiness.

Surely the most foolish of all the many foolish conventions that ruin human joy is the decree that women must wait passively to be wooed, declares a writer in the London Chronicle. Now, why should they? Why can't they be natural and honest and show their feelings? Why must they be compelled to act an indifference quite foreign to them? Perhaps some of you hold with Shaw and Shakespeare that they don't wait to be wooed. Some of them certainly don't. Generally speaking, however, few women even nowadays have the pluck to go dead against a convention of this sort, which has such a tremendously strong hold on the masculine sense of fitness.

If woman's charm is to depend on this idiotic convention that men have created around her—namely, that she is a perfectly cold, passive, negative creature who waits in a state of suspended animation, as it were, until the man condescends to make her come alive—the sooner the modern feminists invent some more reasonable tradition of charm the better for us all.

Now, let us suppose a couple that has overcome all the initial obstacles. They have managed the difficult task of finding each other, have got their declaration over, and are safely engaged. What happens next? Every possible thing that can be done to create an illusion around them is done. They are encouraged to meet often, but the conditions under which they meet are as different as can be from the conditions of their future married life. Does that man every see that girl in any kind of negligee, or does she see him unshaved, say? Does he have any experience of how she will run a house or manage affairs? Does she have any chance of finding out that he's faddy about food, or mean about money?

These are material things, it is true, and therefore not of the first importance; but, on the other hand, what chance do they have either to discover each other's spiritual state? Don't they, as a rule, act and sham all through, and dress up for each other, and spend their time under the most artificial conditions, pleasure seeking? Are they ever encouraged to have earnest conversations with each other to discuss the more serious aspects of their future life together? No, the entire business is conducted in the most absurdly irresponsible, once-married-we'll-shake-down-all-right spirit, which would be comical but for the fact that the results are often so deeply tragical.

Porous Metals.

Using an alloy of lead and antimony, containing 90 per cent lead, and one of tin and lead, containing 80 per cent of tin, Hannover has obtained both porous lead and tin. The porous lead thus obtained may be used for many purposes, and would be especially valuable in making accumulator plates of very great capacity.

AN ACID VICTIM

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was born on a farm four miles east of Maryville, and beside her husband and children is survived by her mother, Mrs. John L. Wallace of this city; two sisters, Mrs. Bert Hilsabeck and Mrs. Walter Dickey of near Maryville, and eight brothers, John A., George, Frank and Fred Wallace of Maryville, O. O. Wallace of Nebraska, Dr. Jesse Wallace of Skidmore, Dr. Bert Wallace of Shawnee, Okla., and Vern Wallace of Holton, Kan.

Mrs. Trusty had been a devout member of the M. E. church since young girlhood, and with her husband counted among the most valued members of the M. E. church of Burlington Junction. She was loved by all who knew her, and her death has cast a gloom over the entire community.

Dr. Trusty located in Burlington Junction years ago and has met with eminent success in the practice of dentistry. He is a brother of Mrs. Gabe L. Allen and Grant Trusty of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Allen went to Burlington Junction Wednesday morning.

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On Visit in Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Carpenter left Wednesday morning for Sabetha, Kan., to visit Mr. Carpenter's brother, James Carpenter, and family.

Visiting in Parnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fite and Mrs. Joseph Reece motored to Parnell Wednesday and were the New Year's guests of Mrs. Perry Keever.

Mrs. O. E. Jones and children, living northeast of Maryville, went to Arkoe Monday evening to visit Harry Culbertson and family, and will later visit Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones of White Cloud.

Miss Lizzie Strauch and Mr. George Strauch of Lincoln, Neb., who have been visiting the family of Phillip Strauch, living near Maryville, left for their home Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. VanHorn and children returned to their home in St. Joseph Wednesday morning from a visit with Mr. VanHorn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. VanHorn.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Milligan and children of Billings, Mont., left for their home Tuesday evening, after a visit with the family of Mrs. E. J. Kissinger of Maryville.

Miss Elsie McNulty of Tarkio, who has been visiting Miss Hazel Russell, a state Normal student, went to Bedison Tuesday to visit her uncle, J. P. Erickson.

Mrs. J. O. Hiatt, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Woodworth, for some time, went to Kansas City Tuesday evening, where Mr. Hiatt will locate.

Mrs. J. R. McKillip and Mr. Boyd McKillip of St. Joseph spent Monday in Maryville with Miss Louise Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. John Franklin of Pickering have been visiting Alonzo Cansler and family of Wilcox.

Mrs. G. G. Council of Barnard spent Monday in Maryville with Mrs. F. E. Whitchurch and family.

Mrs. R. L. Barnes and son went to Savannah Tuesday evening to visit her father, J. F. Newman.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson Craven are spending a few days with James Craven of Pickering.

Mrs. Vern Dixon and daughter went to Pickering Saturday to visit Mrs. Charles Shopbell.

Mrs. W. E. Scott of Pickering was shopping in Maryville Saturday.

Mrs. W. J. Staples was a business visitor in St. Joseph Tuesday.

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Quail Season Closed.

The open season for quail ended December 31. It will be unlawful to kill quails in Missouri until November 1st. The squirrel season closed December 21st and opens again July 1st.

L. W. Coler of College Springs, Ia., arrived Saturday on a visit to George J. Coler, near Skidmore. George and Clarence Coler of South Dakota are also visiting him.

Miss Permelia Eads spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in King City and St. Joseph.

Returned to Kansas.

Mrs. J. R. Springer and children returned to their home in Linwood, Kan., New Year's morning from a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. E. J. Dempsey.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Paulette went to St. Joseph Tuesday evening to visit over New Year's with Mr. Paulette's mother, Mrs. W. H. Paulette.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Pence and daughter of Lenox, Ia., returned home Saturday from a Christmas visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hanna of Blanchard, Ia.

An Egyptian New Year's Greeting.

The following from Maspero's Guide to the Cairo Museum of Antiquities is of timely interest, showing how the scarab was identified with New Year's celebration in ancient Egypt:

"The Egyptians worshiped the scarab from the most remote antiquity, for it seems that in the beginning it was considered as being one of the shapes of the soul itself. So the image of it was multiplied in order to assure to living and dead alike a continuance of being, and, like all religious emblems held in general esteem, it was used as a motif of ornamentation in jewelry. Scarabs were set as rings, seals or pendants, those who wore them thus having not only an amulet, but an ornament, and were made of every size and material.

"A whole class of scarabs bore good wishes for the New Year: 'May Amon, or Isis, or Bastit, or Ra give thee a happy beginning of the year.' Others wished him to be provided with the aura of life, or with life itself."

BEST $5 HE EVER SPENT.

Bristol, Pa., Man Says So in This Letter.

Months of suffering and anxiety over his condition caused Mr. A. L. Kennedy of Bristol, Pa., to write this letter. He says: "Grippe and a bad cough caused me much suffering and worry for five long months, but that is all over now for I have taken Vinol and am perfectly well. I took five bottles and it was the best five dollars I ever spent."

In health one cannot realize how depressed a person may become after trying one remedy after another for such a condition as Mr. Kennedy was in, without benefit, or what a relief it is to find help and be restored to health and strength.

It is the combined action of the medicinal curative element of cods' livers without the greasy oil, aided by the blood-making and strength-creating properties of tonic iron, that makes Vinol so efficient in overcoming chronic coughs, colds and bronchitis, at the same time building up the weakened run-down system.

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L. C. Cook and son went to Kansas City Wednesday morning.

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SUSPICIOUS OF THE AUTHOR

George Pattullo Tells of His Experiences Among Cowboys on the Mexican Border.

George Pattullo, the author of "The Sheriff of Badger," is a cowboy part of the year and works among the men of a Texas ranch. He tells a story of a time when he did not wear his literary laurels too conspicuously.

"A rather amusing thing happened at Naco, which is a town straddling the Mexican border," he said. "I had been working on the Turkey Track range as the guest of the owner while they were branding 5,000 head of cows and steers that had been sold. Some of us went to Naco at the end of the work for a little fun, and Lee Hardie, the boss, introduced me to the proprietor of the Fashion. An inebriated gentleman standing near seemed to ponder the name, as though trying to recall something. At last he came over to me.

"'Are you,' he said, 'the guy that writes stories?' I admitted it, upon which his manner became very grave.

"'Well,' he continued, 'you done put my brother in one of them pieces and I want to see you about it.'

"I hastily assured him that his brother was wholly unknown to me. He looked doubtful and appeared to nurse a grievance, but allowed the matter to drop.

"Fred Hall, one of the cowboys who had worked with me on the squeezer, which holds each animal that is to be branded—it takes two lusty men to handle a squeezer when the steers are wild—led Lee Hardin aside, and I could hear them in hot debate.

"'Aw, Lee,' said Fred in much disgust, 'what's the use of trying to tell me that? I tell you Pat ain't got enough sense to write stories.'"

THEY MILK ALL DAY LONG

Employes on Eastern Dairy Farm Are Specialists, Each Handling 48 Cows Daily.

On the average dairy farm the man who can milk fifteen or twenty cows twice a day is ranked as an excellent milker. Yet on a milk company's farm in New Jersey, ten operators are milking 350 animals twice daily, an average of 35 cows per milker. Ever since modern dairy husbandry began to approach an intensive development the problem of the milk farm has been how most efficiently to utilize the labor of the milking force between milkings. In the winter time especially this was a hard nut to crack.

The manager of this eastern dairy farm got his mind to working overtime and devised the plan of developing his milkers into specialists who milked for ten hours a day and performed no other labor. He corresponded with the managers and owners of other large milk farms in order to obtain their opinions concerning his new method, and found they did not believe it would work. In nowise discouraged, this progressive manager put the proposition before his milkers and asked them if they would be willing to test out the plan. They enthusiastically assented. His plan as successfully carried out is explained in the Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Strange Curiosities of Pain.

Pain sometimes behaves in a curious fashion. There was a soldier after the Boer war, who complained of excruciating neuralgic pains in his right foot. This very much amused his friends, for he had lost his right leg. The explanation was that the pain happened to be in the trunks of those nerves, which had sent branches to the foot. The other day a patient went to a doctor complaining of pain in the knee, and he was greatly surprised when the doctor told him that the site of the affection is not the knee but the hip. We are all familiar with the pain under the shoulder blade which comes from an afflicted liver. The stomach, too, can produce pain in many parts of the body. A disordered stomach will give us pain as far away as the head, and, when one gets a cramp in his toe, it is often due to acidity of the stomach. Swallow a pinch of bicarbonate of soda and the cramp will disappear. An aching tooth will produce neuralgic pains in the face, and very often a violent pain at the back of the head is due to the faraway kidneys, which themselves may suffer no pain at the time.

Damage by Big Guns.

Six years firing of the big guns of the army posts has resulted in the submission of many curious claims for damages on the part of the farmers, cottagers and fishermen, aggregating no less than $32,616, and these claims, distributed among 220 persons, are now being settled by the disbursing office.

Naturally the largest items are for smashed window glass in cottages and farmhouses, but included in the list is one item of 46 cents for damages caused by the passage of artillery through a Filipino rice field. The largest claim is for $5,000 for damages inflicted by the blast of the guns of Fort Baldwin, Me., upon a summer home.—Lewiston Journal.

Willing to Oblige.

"I have had 20 offers of marriage in my short career," cooed the fair applicant.

The theatrical manager looked at her reflectively.

"I don't dispute you," he said. "And I don't object to the phrase short career. But it will be a good deal better for my purpose if you make it 20 divorces and lengthen the career."

"Very well," said the fair one.

WOMAN IN POLICE SERVICE

Country Is Slowly Realizing How Valuable She Is in That Kind of Work.

One of the surprises of evolution has been the discovery that women have an appointed work waiting for them in the police service. The smashing derision that used to find a special point of application in the idea of "the woman policeman" is yielding, gingerly but rarely, to the realization that the country needs women as police rather more than the women need to be police officials. The realization seems to be a part of the general realization of the human interest mixed up in the criminal's case, the realization that you don't finish with that case by merely apprehending the criminal and affixing the thumb screws, and the further realization that the case may be one of many sides and one of two sexes. A desire to reach the case having followed upon the realization, it was perhaps inevitable that women should be available instruments of salvation. In Los Angeles, the "woman policeman" has been installed in response to a distinct need in the handling of woman and girl criminals. In Maryland, she has been applied to for official help to enforce the curfew law in an effective manner. In Chicago as matrons women have long been assisting in the problem of handling the criminal. Very recently these matrons have been placed in the rank of patrolmen, and their salaries have been increased from $1,000 to $1,400 a year.

SET UP BOTTLES AS GODS

Burmese Natives, Relieved by "Pain Killer," Accepted What They Thought Was Deity.

There are many people in this country who are given to a worship of patent medicines; but it remained for the East to furnish an instance of actual idolatry of empty medicine bottles.

An American missionary came upon a village in Burma where an epidemic was raging. Having with him a quantity of New England "pain killer" and thinking he might at least allay the suffering somewhat, he went from house to house administering the remedy, and left a number of bottles to be used after he had gone. When he returned to the village some months later he was met by the head man of the community, who cheered and delighted him by this intelligence: "Teacher, we have come over to your side; the medicine did us so much good that we have accepted your god." Overjoyed at this news, the missionary was conducted to the house of the head man, who opened the door of a room and showed him the pain killer bottles solemnly arranged in a row upon the shelf; and before them the whole company immediately prostrated themselves in worship.

Dog Worth Owning.

J. L. Sappington of Centralia will be protected from the cold this winter by a coonskin overcoat made from hides of coons which he caught with his famous coon dog Buck.

The coat, which Sappington was wearing, was made from the skins of 30 of the 132 of the ringtailed species which he and his canine have captured in the last three years. Sappington sent the skins to a furrier with instructions to use only the best part of the hides. The consequence is his coat is the best and finest that can be made and differs from the coonskin garments of this kind usually seen.

Three years ago Sappington bagged 52 coons. Two years ago he captured 48, last year but 16 and so far this year he has captured 16.—Fulton correspondence St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Crack Filler.

Cracks in a floor, caused by the spreading apart of the boards, are objectionable because they catch dust and dirt. A simple and effective crack filler is made from newspapers. Tear the paper into small bits, soak in hot water, and mix with warm flour paste. Fill the cracks with this mixture, which should be thick, spreading the paste with a knife. Another good filler consists of a mixture of glue and sawdust. Heat the glue until melted and for one pound of glue, before melting, allow one gallon of water. When melted, stir into it fine sawdust until a thick paste results. Fill the cracks with this, packing it down solidly and smoothing it over with a knife blade. When the filler is thoroughly dried the floor may be stained.

Women Journalists.

Mrs. Chang, widow of a Chinese official, is the editor in chief of the Peking woman's paper, which is devoted entirely to subjects interesting to her sex. Besides Mrs. Chang's paper there are eight others in Peking edited, printed and sold by women. In Canton there are four, in Shanghai six, and in Foochow three.

Mms. de Aeus Janculescan is to edit the first woman's paper published in Rumania. This journal is to be called Rights of Women, and is to be the official organ of the suffrage clubs in Rumania.

Doom of the Army Mule.

The army mule is doomed, according to Capt. E. A. Williams, quartermaster, United States army, who had charge of the auto trucks recently tested by the army. He said that the animal, which has been as important to the army as ammunition in the past, eventually is to be supplanted by the auto truck.

PATHETIC PLEA FOR CHILDREN

Words of Charles Kingsley Worth Heeding by Every Man and Woman of Any Worth.

Do not deceive yourselves about the little dirty, offensive children in the street. If they be offensive to you, they are not to him that made them. "Take heed that ye despise not one of these little ones; for I say unto you that in heaven their angels do always behold the face of my father which is in heaven." Is there not in every one of them, as in you, the light that lighteth every man that cometh into the world? And know you not who that light is, and what he said of little children? Then take heed, I say, lest you despise one of these little ones. Listen not to the Pharisee when he says: Except the little child be converted, and become as I am, he shall in nowise enter into the kingdom of heaven. But listen to the voice of him who knew what is in man, when he said: "Except ye be converted, ye shall not enter into the kingdom of heaven." Their souls are like their bodies, not perfect, but beautiful enough and fresh enough to shame anyone who shall dare to look down upon them. Their souls are like their bodies, hidden by the rags, foul with the dirt of what we miscall civilization. But take them to the pure stream, strip off the ugly, shapeless rags, wash the young limbs again, and you shall find them, body and soul, fresh and lithe, graceful and capable—capable of how much God alone who made them knows.—From Charles Kingsley's Address on Human Soot.

GAVE HIM SOME NEW IDEAS

Pessimistic Man of Forty Wonderfully Cheered by a Few Remarks Made by His Wife.

"Darnation, I'm forty today," he groaned. "Look at my wrinkles. Look at my bald spot. Look at the gray hair above my ears. Youth is gone—the grave approaches—and I'm so wretched that I think I'll go and drink 50 beers."

But his good wife responded:

"Cheer up. Intelligent men, thinkers and brain-workers like yourself, have always been distinguished for a hale and happy longevity. Solon, Sophocles, Pindar and Anacreon were octogenarians. Goethe, over eighty, did some of his best work. So did Kant, Buffon, Newton, Fontenelle and Harvey, the discoverer of the circulation of the blood.

"Landor wrote his most beautiful Imaginary Conversations at eighty-five. Izaak Walton at ninety had a fluent, forceful pen. Hahnemann at eighty married, and at ninety-one made some of his most fruitful discoveries. Michael Angelo's canvases when he was eighty-nine were as vigorous as they had been at sixty years before. Titian was doing good work at ninety. Newton at eighty-three—"

But here the man, wonderfully perked up, interrupted her.

"I guess I won't get drunk after all," he said. "Get my hat, my dear, and we'll go to the movies and wind up with an oyster supper."

Oldest Order.

What is the oldest order in existence? The claim is made for that of the Holy Sepulchre, the grand officership of which has just been conferred by the pope on a member of the Irish Nationalist party, Sir Thomas Grattan Esmond. It appears that no date or the name of a founder can be assigned to the Order of the Holy Sepulchre, though there is a legendary tradition that traces its origin to the time of Charlemagne. In the middle of the last century, however, when the Latin Patriarchate of Jerusalem was reestablished, the office of grand master of the order was transferred to it by Pope Pius the Ninth, who many years later, in 1838, created by statute three ranks of the order—the grand cross, commander and knight. The costume is a white cloak with the Cross of Jerusalem in red enamel. The pope himself is grand master of the order.—Westminster Gazette.

Precaution Rarely Taken.

A German medical journal draws attention to a possible factor in the spread of infectious conditions of the mouth, nose, and pharynx that is not sufficiently recognized in many households. It points out that common table utensils, such as forks, spoons and glasses, which come into contact with the mouth, are usually washed altogether, often with little care, and dried on the same cloth. This gives great opportunity for the distribution of infective agencies. For this reason particular care should be exercised in families where any member may be suffering from an infectious disease to sterilize the table utensils used in boiling water. People who complain of "catching cold" in many instances are merely catching infection from little-understood and preventable sources.

Sheridan's "Debt of Honor."

A "debt of honor" story that may be worth recalling concerns that prince of debtors, Richard Brinsley Sheridan. One day a creditor came into Sheridan's room and found him seated before a table strewn with gold and notes?

"It's no use looking at that, my good fellow," said Sheridan, "that is all bespoken for debts of honor." "Very well," replied the tradesman, tearing his security and throwing it in the fire, "now mine is a debt of honor." "So it is, and must be paid at once," said Sheridan, and handed him the money.

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GIRL attending high school would like to help with housework mornings and evenings for home the rest of the term. Can give references. Address D, care Democrat-Forum. 1-2

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